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One Cent

CHARLEROI HIBERNIANS CELEBRATE

**Good Crowd Attends Affair
Held at Turner Hall Last
Evening.**

MANY GOOD ADDRESSES

The annual St. Patrick's Day reception held by Charleroi Division No. 2, Ancient Order of Hibernians, at Turner Hall last night, brought out one of the largest crowds of the season. The occasion was an enjoyable one and the out-of-town guests who came from Monongahela, Monessen, Donora, Finleyville, Washington, Brownsville, and other places, as well as the guests from Charleroi, recognized it as one of the most successful events of the kind ever held by the Charleroi Division.

The evening's program opened with singing "The Star Spangled Banner," followed by the introduction of the chairman of the evening, P. Acton. William Feeney sang "Banishing the Snakes from Ireland" and Mrs. Kate McPherson of Castle Shannon, "The Wearing of the Green."

Congressman John K. Tener was introduced, as one of the chief speakers of the evening. He spoke of what the Irish are doing in America, and made the statement that he hoped the day was not far distant when Ireland would secure her proper recognition as one of the nations of the world. He said that the influence of the Irish was felt in every clime, and was greater than it has ever been before. In England, especially, where Irish members of Parliament compose the thinking and acting men, was this influence most noticeable.

Following out the order of the program, William Connel sang an Irish melody, being followed by Mrs. Bertha Kleist with a song, "Innis Carah." Rev. Father Charles Poetz, of Monongahela was introduced and made a stirring address on the life of St. Patrick, the patron saint of the day. He took up the theme from a religious point of view and created a profound impression.

After an exhibition of Irish step dancing by little Miss Feeney, A. H. Anderson, former Republican county chairman, was introduced and made a stirring address. He said that the "sons of Ireland" are scattered abroad and that their bravery and noted thinking powers have made them a much respected and admired people. Mr. Anderson's address was calculated to please the audience and succeeded admirably.

The evening's program closed with the singing of "God Save Ireland" and the Ladies' Auxiliary of the A. O. H. served lunch. Meanwhile the ball room was put in shape, and after lunch dancing was enjoyed until 1 o'clock, music being furnished by Jenkins' orchestra.

For the occasion the stage was beautifully decorated with Irish and American flags and colors.

Poplins—The Popular Fabrics.

We have just received a shipment of the extremely popular weave of Poplins—Highly mercerized and full width. They come in plain Blue, Reseda, Garnet, Black, White, Navy, Cadet. Never sold for less than 25 cents the yard before. On Friday and Saturday only they will be put on sale at 19 cents the yard. Why Pay More? Kirk and Clark. 17842

Ex-Postmaster Will Come Up During May Term

**Inspector H. H. Williams Has
Something to Say of Staley
Matter.**

Postoffice Inspectors H. H. Williams of Greensburg, who was here yesterday making the inspection of the local postoffice, before leaving, speaking in reference to the charge against Robert G. Staley, deposed postmaster of North Charleroi, who is now confined in jail at Pittsburg, said that Staley would come up for trial before the May grand jury. Mr. Williams, who was the inspector that discovered the deficiency in Staley's accounts, said it is something over \$1,000. He is pushing the case against him.

On account of the Staley affair Inspector Williams has been held back in his annual inspection work along the valley about a week, and is working day and night to catch up. He went to Brownsville last night.

ENUMERATORS WILL BE SWORN IN NEAR FIRST OF APRIL

**Announcement of Names Will
Not be Made Public
Until Then.**

ONE LIST NOT RETURNED

Census Supervisor C. O. Frye announced that the names of his enumerators for the 21st district would not be made public for a week or ten days, after they have been acted upon by the Census Department at Washington, D. C. Mr. Frye sent in his lists sometime ago, and has received back all except for Washington county which he expects now any time.

The taking of the census will begin on April 15, and will continue until finished, about the middle of May. Supervisor Frye expects to complete his part of the work in June.

The enumerators will be sworn in about April 1, and it is not until after this time that the announcements of the appointees will be made.

Center Entrances Being Constructed in Monier Building

To prepare for the F. W. Woolworth and Company's Five and Ten cent store, the Monier building is being altered somewhat at the present time. The windows are being changed so that there will be two centre entrances instead of two side entrances. W. B. Pfeighardt has removed what stock he had remaining into the store room formerly occupied by The Stag. The Five and Ten cent store will go into the Monier building the first of April.

Public Sale March 22, 1910.

Charles Falk will sell the following at public auction on the Harris Farm near Eldora. Two horses, four cows, all kinds wagons, harness, tools, two tons hay, many household articles and other articles too numerous to name. Terms made known on day of sale. Chas. Falk. 17942p

If you are looking for a Steinbloch suit call on M. Meyers and Son, Donora avenue, Monessen. 1,000 to select from, \$8.00 to \$30.00. 11791t

PROMISED SUBSCRIBERS IN DUTY BOUND TO PAY

**Contestants in Busy Hours of Closing Contest
Have Not Time to Look Up All
Promises.**

COUPONS NOT ANY GOOD AFTER MONDAY

The Great Prize and Popularity Contest ends one week from tomorrow night, and it is up to you to decide the result of the finish.

Are you going to win the \$500.00 Reo Automobile?

Are you going to win the \$400.00 Boston Piano?

Or are you going to be satisfied with one of the watches?

You have just one week and one day to work for these valuable prizes, and it will take the work of these final days to decide the outcome of the struggle. The race is so close in all of the districts regardless of the published list that the winning of any one of the prizes depends on the effort you put forth during the final days.

You cannot afford to let up your solicitation of subscriptions for one minute, for the loss of a subscription may mean the loss of the Automobile.

TO SUBSCRIBERS.
Perhaps you have been approached by one of your friends who is a candidate in this contest. Perhaps you have told him to count on you at the finish if he needs your help. Now is the time to show whether that offer of yours meant anything or not. Maybe you were just bluffing in hopes that he would forget about you in the excitement of the finish. The chances are he will forget about that offer, for he will be the busiest man the balance of the contest that you ever saw. He has about a hundred

promises like that of yours to think about, and he is trying to realize on as many as possible during the few days that remain.

The honorable thing for you to do then is to go to him with the cash for your subscription and save him the trouble of coming to you. In the time that he would spend in looking you up he could land a dozen new ones. Put yourself in his place. You would certainly expect him to come across if a little liberality and thoughtfulness on his part would win a fine new automobile for you.

Your subscription may be the one that wins the machine for your friend. Many contests have been decided by a few hundred votes and every subscription means that much in insurance for your favorite. It doesn't make any difference who he is, the report may be out in your neighborhood that your friend has a cinch on the first grand prize. The report is false. No one has a cinch, BUT YOU CAN HELP HIM CINCIT. COME ACROSS.

COUPONS NO GOOD.
Due to the fact that the leading contestants are giving their attention to the subscriptions method of getting votes, it has been decided to discontinue the single paper coupons appearing in each issue of the paper. The last coupon will appear in Saturday's issue of the Mail and no coupons will be counted after Monday.

REGULAR FORTNIGHTLY MEETING OF THE ATHENE CLUB BEING HELD TODAY

The meeting of the Athene Club is being held by special invitation at the home of Mrs. F. P. McCloskey at the corner of Crest avenue and Sixth street this afternoon, convening at 2:30. The subject for discussion is "England." "Before the Conquest" short talks are to be discussed by Miss Laura Brown who will read a paper on "Alfred the Great," Miss Margueretta Christy on "Cnut," and Mrs. F. P. McCloskey, on "Edward the Confessor." Mrs. E. I. Brown will discuss "William the Conqueror," and Mrs. Jesse K. Johnston will give a reading on "The Battle of Hastings."

CLOTHING FIRM IS DISSOLVED, ONE MEMBER GOING WEST

Jacob Swartz of the former clothing and men's furnishing firm of Swartz and Lessing of 619 Fallowfield avenue, has purchased his partner's interest and is conducting the business alone. Mr. Swartz is a capable business man in this line, a good citizen, and his many friends are glad to see him continue in business. The firm enjoyed a good trade which was built up by giving a square deal to every patron, a policy that will be continued along the same progressive lines by Mr. Swartz, who believes in printers' ink.

Harry Lessing, the former partner, has gone to Seattle, Washington, to locate. He was not accompanied by his family as stated in the Mail a few days ago, being an unmarried man. Mr. Swartz is the family man of the former firm.

If you are looking for a Steinbloch suit call on M. Meyers and Son, Donora avenue, Monessen. 1,000 to select from \$18.00 to \$30.00. 17941

DANCING SCHOOL.

Prof. Oatman's Dancing School every Tuesday night in the Bank of Charleroi Hall. Beginner's class 8 to 9, social dance 9 to 12, Maxwell Orchestra. Ladies, 25c; gentlemen, 50c. New dances will be taught. 17716

TRYING TO ARRANGE TWO CONTESTS FOR WEEK OF MARCH 28

Manager Lance Riggs of the Colonial Basketball team, has cancelled the game here next Wednesday with the Ormsby team, and is trying to make arrangement for two games the following week, one of the teams to be taken if possible to be the Washington and Jefferson College champion Junior team. The games will be on Tuesday and Friday. For Tuesday, March 29, he is trying to secure the fast Homestead Schoolastics. The game next week was cancelled on account of it being Holy week.

BAPTISTS FORM A TEMPORARY ORGANIZATION

The Baptist team of the Church Baseball league effected a temporary organization last night at a meeting at the church. Henry Frye was appointed temporary manager, and will go to work at once to get players under contract. The Baptists are hampered somewhat in securing players by the fact that they did not have any team last year and consequently no players to hold.

One Bale Left.
Everybody Knows How Sheetings Have Advanced.

One bale of 40 inch wide unbleached sheeting to go at the old price. A good round thread for sheeting and family use. Well worth 10c. a yard but we will close out a thousand yards on Friday and Saturday only at 7 1-2 cents the yard. Why Pay More? Kirk and Clark. 17842

Prizes for Scaool Essays.

"The City Beautiful" will be the subject of an essay on which the pupils of the Monongahela schools will contest for prizes next week. The business men of the town will donate the prizes.

Judson for State Senate.

Attorney J. Carter Judson of Washington is talked of as a Democratic candidate for State Senate in the Washington-Greene district.

Good Impression Created by Rev. Kerr's Lecture Donora People Much Pleased With Local Man's Address.

Rev. G. G. Kerr, pastor of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church gave his noted lecture "The Value of the Boy and How to Get the Worth of Him," to a good sized audience at Donora last night. The lecture took well and was considered by the people who heard it one of the best that had ever been delivered there.

In connection with the lecture the Magic City quartet composed of Messrs. Charles Steele, John A. Bowman, Louis Jobs and Thomas Kendrick, sang. With them was Mr. Davis, a soloist. The quartet made its first public appearance out of town and they received exceptional praise. Miss Edna Lewis of Donora was the accompanist.

MILLINERY OPENING HELD YESTERDAY BY MRS. EMMA DAWSON

**Most Successful Opening in
History of Local
Store.**

NEW STYLES ARE PLEASING

Without doubt one of the most successful millinery openings in the history of her store was held yesterday and last evening by Mrs. Emma Dawson at her millinery establishment, 602 Fallowfield avenue. The crowds which visited the store were larger, the pleasure manifested at the showing of the many new millinery creations was keener, and the orders which resulted therefrom were greater than ever before at an opening held by Mrs. Dawson.

The new styles which Mrs. Dawson displayed to the best advantage were subjects of much favorable comment. The altered shapes of hats this year are pleasing, and the fact that Mrs. Dawson secured her patterns direct from the best establishments in New York city, gives her an enviable prestige.

A constant stream of visitors flocked the store from as early as 9 o'clock in the morning until late at night. No souvenirs were given, the offering in the millinery line taking all thought of such from the minds of the ladies who flocked thither. Mrs. Dawson has now at work a large force steadily employed at turning out the orders received yesterday for new spring bonnets.

Methodists Elect Lance Riggs This Year's Captain

The Methodist baseball team at a well attended meeting at the church last night elected Lance Riggs captain. He will get his men down to practice as soon as possible. Arrangements are being made for securing uniforms. The prospects are good for a good team this year.

Farkos.
Margaret Farkos, 13 months old, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Farkos, died last night. The funeral will be held on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment in the Charleroi cemetery.

MESH HAND BAGS

Prices \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4.50 and up to \$10.00



We have a dozen designs and styles for you to choose from. You'd be surprised how many people not intending to buy right away, drop in and look at these handsome novelties for future reference. Come and do likewise.

We have also different size Initials for Purse, price 35c and 50c.

JOHN B. SCHAFER

Manufacturing Jeweler

Bell Phone 108-W

Charleroi Phone 108

THIRTEEN RESIDENTS EXAMINED

**Successful in Obtaining Second
Papers of Naturalization.**

SEVEN GET FIRST PAPERS

Thirteen foreign born residents of Charleroi passed the examinations for their second and final naturalization papers at Pittsburg yesterday and seven foreign born residents received their first papers. The examination of the applications was conducted before Clerk of Courts Lindsay, by an assistant district attorney. The party making the trip to Pittsburg numbered 21, being under the charge of M. J. Tylavsky, Andrew Olsavsky going as a witness. There were five Russians, three for second and two for first papers; 10 Slovaks for second and five for first papers; and one Belgian for first.

One failed to get his second papers because he had been unable to produce his first papers. He will return later. The second papers will not be granted to the applicants for ninety days yet, to allow the proper authorities time to get them properly prepared, and in order that there is no unseemly haste. The first papers were granted yesterday. One of the judges grants the papers finally. Mr. Tylavsky will take another party to Pittsburg in the near future to secure naturalization papers.

ANIMAL SHOW TAKES WELL AT THE COYLE ON FIRST EVENING

The new program for the last half of the week at the Coyle Theatre proved to be one of exceptional merit and was thoroughly enjoyed by a large and appreciative audience. Clare's animal actors in pantomime gave a very clever performance displaying a most human intelligence in the different roles assigned them.

That clever comedian, Phil Berg, billed as "The Waps" kept the house in a continual uproar of laughter by his funny monologue about his "strong-a-brud."

The singing and dancing trio, Morton, West and Morton, pleased with their new catchy songs and dances as did Musical Alward in his offering of classical and popular airs on the zelyphone.

Arthur and Jeanet, rightly named the "Peerless Pantomimic Pair," gave one of the most marvelous exhibition of contortion ever offered to the amusement going people of Charleroi.

Tomorrow, Saturday will be the usual souvenir matinee and the management have laid in a large supply of candy to accommodate every one attending. Admission 10 cents. Tomorrow night there will be 3 shows at 7, 8:15 and 9:30. Admission 10 and 15 cents.

Now in the Pen.

Frank Scathea, who pleaded guilty to a charge of robbery and carrying concealed weapons and who was sentenced by the court to serve from two to eight years in the penitentiary, was this morning taken to that institution at Riverside. He is one of the alleged Black Handers who attempted to rob a store at Marianna.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

WOMEN WHO HAVE CHECKING ACCOUNTS

realize the great convenience which paying by check affords them.

We cordially invite accounts, subject to check and furnish pocket check books free of charge.



4 Per cent. Interest Paid on Savings Accounts
Depository for the State of Pennsylvania.

\$15,000 Of Up-To-Date Shoes

Now on Sale, for Less Than Cost of Raw Material

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS

Forced To Sacrifice

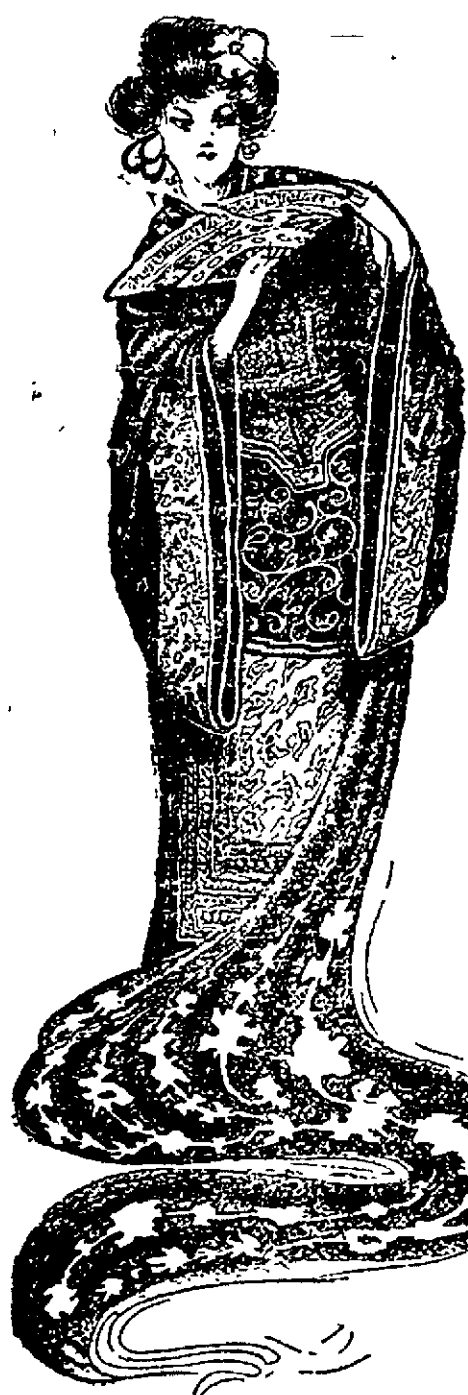
Our new and up to date stock of men's, women's and children's wear. Bigger crowds have attended this great slaughter sale than ever before. The reasons are, because people know that this is an absolute sale. Jos. G. Godissart, Charleroi's reliable shoe merchant, is forced on account of ill health to quit, give up business and move West. It don't matter the price, we must wind up his affairs. Everybody will take advantage of this great slaughter sale. Be one of them, save your money. It is a better investment than a bank; it pays you from 50 to 100 per cent. interest on your dollar, and you get the best shoes on earth. No dead stock, no shop worn goods; but up to the minute shoes. New spring models; shoes for everybody, for the old and young alike.

Come in Saturday. Get Here as Early as You Can

JOS. G. GODISSART'S GREAT SACRIFICE SALE

513 FALLOWFIELD AVENUE, CHARLELOI

NOTICE: Our styles and prices are too numerous to mention. Come in; we are sure you will be suited in both price and style. The Saville Salvage Co., the world's greatest bargain givers have charge of this sale.



There will be a Chi-Namel Demonstration at our store on March 28 and 29. Do not miss the opportunity to learn in five minutes how to secure a new hardwood floor for \$2.50, and how to have a Mission finish dining room, den or sitting-room without the expense of removing old paint or varnish. Any old floor, oil cloth or linoleum made to look like new hard wood, any style of grain. Lessons Free by special instructor.

T. P. GRANT
424 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi

MANDO
Removes superfluous hair from any part of the body. The only safe and reliable depilatory known. Large bottle \$1.00, sample 10c. Send for booklet free.
Madame Josephine Le Fevre,
1205 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.
Hennings' Drug Store

His Occupation.

A big, brawny fellow in answer to a question in a justice's court as to what he did for a living said:

"Well, sir, in the spring I ketches an' sells young mockin' birds. In the summer I mostly sells rattlesnake but tons fer rattles for the babies, but in the winter I sometimes has to chop wood."—Atlanta Constitution.

Enlarging the Limit.

"You are very foolish, Alfred. That is your third cigar, and you know the doctor limited you to one a day."

"Yes, dear, but I've consulted two other doctors, and each has allowed me one cigar a day; total, three!"

Clothing Their Wings.

The costume of the Pu Yuan Pen-chen women in the Shan states is very striking, consisting of a cloth hood, an open jacket and a pair of short white trousers reaching barely to the knee. But the most important though the least noticeable part of their costume is their colored cloth gaiters. These the women are obliged to wear, as without them it is believed they would be able to fly away, leaving their husbands and sweethearts sorrowful.

Will Share Grave With Dog.

An aged splinter of Northumberland county, Pa., whose name is withheld, died recently, leaving a large estate, a portion of which is set aside for the maintenance and burial of a pet dog which she referred to as a faithful friend, says a dispatch to the New York Herald. The testatrix directs that the dog be placed in care of some person who for a cash consideration will give the animal kind treatment. At his death the dog is to be placed in a coffin and buried beside the testatrix.

A Curiosity in Boundaries.

About 600 yards from the station at Hersaux, at the crossroads from Oudenarde to Roubaix, on the way from Tournai to Mouscron, there is a directing post which from a topographical point of view is a curiosity. This post marks the separation between the two countries, France and Belgium, three provinces or departments, Le Nord, western Flanders and Hainault; three bishoprics, Cambrai, Burges and Tournai. Three races dwell around it, speaking three languages, French, Flemish and Wallon. It is also in three communes, Wattrelos, Hersaux and Estaimpuis.—London Globe.

This Vale of Tears.

The news that science had at length discovered the means of destroying the germ of the last ill which flesh was heir to called forth rapturous rejoicings throughout the world.

"Henceforth perfect health will reign universally!" people everywhere exclaimed and gave themselves up to congratulations.

But that was not to be. In the very next day's paper was the account of somebody having invented a microscope so powerful as to reveal a lot more germs, which meant, of course, that it would be no time at all until everybody was sick again.—Puck.

Mexico City's Pawnshop.

The Monte de Piedad of Mexico City is an old and peculiar institution. Being a government establishment, it corresponds in scope and object to similar national pawnshops, such as the Mont de Piete in Paris or the K. K. Versamit in Vienna, but it is conducted on different business principles than those of the European institutions. Monte de Piedad was established in 1776 by Don Pedro Romero de Tixereros, count of Regla, a wealthy mine owner, with the approval of the government, which at a later period took the business over itself.—Argo-

Invest in the Stock of a PRODUCING GOLD MINE.

It will pay you Large Returns on Your Investment.

Buy Mount Elliott Consolidated Mines Co. Stock

This Company owns in fee simple eleven patented mines (220 acres) in Big Big Mining District, Yavapai County, Arizona. These properties are equipped with three hoisting plants, a 10-stamp amalgamation and concentration mill; have been under continuous operation and development during the past two years.

The Mines and Mill will shortly be equipped with electric power and the capacity of present Mill doubled by the addition of 10 stamps, securing an increase of present earnings to approximately \$150,000.00 per annum.

The affairs of the Company are in competent and conservative hands as represented by its Directors and officers—principally residents of Pittsburgh, Pa.

This stock we believe will advance to 50c or 60c within a very short time, and should sell at \$1.00 or higher within next few months.

Buy it now "at the market." Write for further information.

WM. H. TOTTEN, Broker,
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IMPORTANT NOTICE

"S. & H." Green Stamp Collectors

On or about April 1, 1910, the Sperry & Hutchinson Company will open a

Handsome Premium Parlor in Charleroi

where you can select your premiums.

Watch for Big Advertisement in This Paper

BERRYMAN'S

EASTER OPENING

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23, 1910

It is with pleasure we announce to our many friends and patrons, our Spring Opening; and we feel, with the people of this vicinity, that it is the leading event of the season. We invite you most cordially to see the grand display of New Spring Millinery, Coats, Suits, Dress Goods, Lace Curtains, Carpets, Rugs, etc., and to enjoy the superb music which will be a feature of both the afternoon and evening receptions. Music from 1 to 4 and 7:30 to 10 p. m.

J. W. BERRYMAN & SON,
CHARLEROI'S LIVE STORE.

THE DIAMOND CUTTER.

His Skill Has Much to Do With the Brilliance of the Gem.

When the expert looks at a diamond he can tell you in a moment where it came from and even whether it was cut lately or some years ago. He knows by its color whence it comes, for the color of the Brazilian diamond differs from that of the South African, and even in South Africa different colors are found in different mines.

In the rough the diamond has little brilliancy for there is a crust that must be cut away before it can properly refract the light, and it is this power of refraction which makes the brilliancy of a diamond and has everything to do with its value in the market. The skill of the diamond cutter has much to do with bringing out this brilliancy. He must do the most he can with the rough stone before him and lose as little as possible of the precious weight in the stone.

Diamonds are found in all kinds of queer shapes, for the carbon may be in any position while being crystallized, and the act of crystallization may affect only parts of that carbon. When the expert cutter has a rough diamond before him he judges almost instantly how it will cut to the greatest advantage. If it inclines to the pear shape he will make a pear shaped diamond of it. If it be square or round the cutting will follow the natural lines as closely as possible, so that the loss may be reduced to a minimum.

To make the stone as brilliant as possible the diamond cutter cuts many facets so as to refract the light from as many points as he can. A full cut brilliant has at least forty-eight facets, and so expert are the cutters that they often cut diamonds so small that it requires a hundred to weigh a carat. Each has forty-eight facets.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

MAN MONEY.

The Old Teutonic Law on Killing or Injuring Others.

The system of atoning for death or bodily injuries inflicted on others by paying damages is as old as the earliest Teutonic laws, praised by Tacitus. The trespasser was always required to make peace with the aggrieved family of the victim by "Wer-Geld."

"Wer" is the ancient German for man. "Geld," now, as in the days of Wotan, means money.

Damages were assessed in accordance with the rank and wealth of the injured party, and the money was paid over in the presence of the whole community, its acceptance forestalling feuds. Indeed, the recognition of Wer-Geld ("money for the man" killed) by law precluded further bloodshed or other forms of revenge.

If the slayer was not rich enough to pay the required sum, he turned over to the injured parties his sons as slaves. If his sons were not sufficient guarantee for the payment of the debt, the slayer himself had to turn bondsman, both the letter and the spirit of the law requiring that the full amount of damage inflicted be recovered by the aggrieved parties.—York World.

COOKS' SHOPS.

They Were the Beginnings of the Modern Restaurant.

In primitive times the only places in London where the public could be entertained with food had been the cooks' shops. The famous East Cheap was a great thoroughfare, down which the stalls of the butchers alternated with those of the cooks. You chose a joint at the flesh market, and you carried it next door to be cooked for you by a certain hour. If you wished for wine, you must bring that with you, for the cooks sold no liquor, although they seem to have provided, as time went on, more and more of the natural accompaniments of meat, such as bread, vegetables and pastry.

This habit continued until well into the reign of Elizabeth, and so long as such an inconvenient custom prevailed there could have been no real comfort for any citizen who chose to dine abroad. He must have had as much trouble with portage and baskets as a country party has today at a picnic. But about the time that Shakespeare came up to London a remarkable change took place in the customs of the town, and the practice of public hospitality and entertainment was singularly facilitated.

The nature of this change lay in the sudden development of the tavern and the consequent withdrawal of the cookshop. The worshipful company of pastels, as the cooks were called, ceased to enjoy the monopoly of providing hot meals.—Edmund Gosse in Harper's Magazine.

SALTING BABIES.

An Old World Practice That Goes Back to Bible Times.

"Salting" newly born infants, a practice that dates far back to Biblical times, still obtains in many parts of the old world. The Armenians in the Russian government of Eriwan cover the whole surface of the babe's body with fine salt, especial care being taken with the interstices between the fingers and all depressions, such as the armpit and the bend of the knee, so that no point shall remain unsalted. The unhappy infant is left in the salt for three hours or longer and is then bathed in warm water.

The Armenians of some districts, having abandoned the practice, are called "unsalted" and are despised by the others.

The modern Greeks also sprinkle their babes with salt. If an enlightened mother protests the midwife is ready with the objection, "But if it isn't salted it will be puny and will never amount to anything."

Men's Spring Clothes

THE KIND THAT'S TALKED ABOUT



CORRECT Clothes, made of correct materials, correctly cut and correctly put together to stand up after long wear—better than other clothes, because we demand more of the makers than any other store—a whole lot better when compared with other clothes sold at the same price.

OUR SPRING STOCK includes every desirable style produced by the acknowledged best makers.

Suits from \$10 to \$25. The newest shades and interwoven color combinations for Spring 1910, every garment hand-tailored to all essential points. Clothes of character and individuality, special values

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Hats! Hats!

Compare a Hawe's hat, either stiff or soft with a hat of any other make, the superior quality is apparent.

Note the snappy lines of the soft hat here illustrated. It is a style becoming to almost every man and is but one of the many styles. Try one on.

Teitelbaum's

417 McKean Ave.

Charleroi, Pa.

We are Delighted With Charleroi's reception of our New Cash Meat Market. It has been such a winner that we want to thank our hundreds of new and satisfied customers for their liberal patronage

READ THE REASONS WHY

The finest quality of Meats at the lowest cash prices.
READ OUR PRICES:

We only mention a few prices to show we mean what we say.

All Week Prices	For Instance	All Week Prices
Fine Quality Round Steak	Only 15c per pound	
Fine Quality Sirloin Steak	Only 16c per pound	
Fine Quality Tenderloin Steak	Only 18c per pound	
Fine Quality Rib Roast	Only 12½c per pound	
Boiling Meat	7c to 10c per pound	
Strictly fresh Country Eggs	26c per dozen	
Choice Creamery Butter	30c per lb.	

Don't Forget the Place

Johnson's Cash Meat Market

Harry F. Lowstutter's Old Meat Stand

517 Fallowfield Ave.,

Charleroi, Pa.

Coyle Theater

Licensed and Operated by

"THE RUSH AMUSEMENT CO."

Booked and under the personal supervision of Mr. Harry Polack of the Polack Vaudeville Exchange

Wed., Thurs. and Sat., Mar. 17, 18, and 19th

Clare's Dogs, Monkeys, and Baboons in Pantomime
With Four Other Big Feature Acts

Special Souvenir Matinee Saturday. 3 Big Shows Saturday Night at 7, 8:15 and 9:30. Every other day at 2:30, 7:30 and 9:00. Admission 10c. Reserved Seats 15c

Word of Caution.
"Never propose to a girl by letter."
"Why not?"
"I did it once, and she stuck the letter in a book she was reading and lent it to my other girl."

There's more strength in a bowl of

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Most nourishing, least expensive

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The Rivers and Harbors Bill.

Advices from the National Capital are to the effect that the Rivers and Harbors bill which passed the House a month ago, will soon be reported to the Senate from the Commerce Committee of that body. As usual with all supply bills, the Senate adds some over the House measure, and the Rivers and Harbors bill, which came to the Senate with appropriations for rivers and harbors approximating \$41,000,000 will likely be "boosted" by the upper branch at least \$5,000,000, so that the bill will carry in the neighborhood of fifty millions for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1911.

For years it has been a rallying cry of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress that there should be a yearly river and harbor bill and it should carry at least fifty millions. The committees of the two Houses of Congress dealing with waterways and their improvements have already one on record for a yearly river and harbor bill which is achievement number one for the National Rivers and Harbors Congress and with the supply bill to be reported early next week appropriating nearly fifty millions, it will come very near the mark set by this great waterways organization, whose persistent work is now beginning to bear fruit.

Much that the bill will provide for has already been discounted in the daily press but there will be enough of new matter in the river and harbor budget to permit of extended writing on the needs of improving the magnificent system of National highways which a beneficent Providence has given to us for our use to the end that rail rates may be cheapened and additional avenues be opened for the movement of the bulkier freight, "A consummation devoutly to be wished for."

That River Road.

Unannounced and unheralded a movement for an improved State highway along the river front has been launched. Beginning at Finleyville, where connections are made with Allegheny county's magnificent system of improved roads, it is desired to extend this proposed boulevard to Monongahela, and thence to Charleroi and on up the river, ultimately reaching the Greene county line, and even farther, if possible. Such a boulevard, in addition to affording a magnificent pleasure course for automobile tourists, would be of inestimable utility to the community in extending trade and commerce to outside points from the populous centers. From Charleroi to Finleyville, with an improved road, would open up a continuous thoroughfare to Pittsburg and to any of the other large industrial centers in Allegheny county, as well as to the interior of Westmoreland and Fayette counties by way of the Monessen bridge.

Those Charleroi citizens who went over to Washington this week to urge the construction of this road deserve the commendation and support of every enterprising citizen in Charleroi. Monongahela citizens are also interested in the project, can with a common interest both towns and work together in harmony. This is entirely within the range of possibility and "The River Boulevard" should be a slogan as well as a policy for Charleroi citizens to advance in the way of public improvements from this time hence.

Arbor Day.

Governor Stuart has issued a proclamation designating April 8 and April 22 as Arbor Days in Pennsylvania. On these dates people are exhorted to plant trees about their premises and public places, in order to beautify their homes and towns and in other places in order to conserve the forest

1 VOTE FOR

Name.....
Address.....
District.....

Void after March 19, 1910. Subject to the conditions of
The Charleroi Mail and Mirror's Great Contest
This Ballot Must be Carefully Trimmed on all Sides

Standing of Contestants as Counted Yesterday.

DISTRICT NO. ONE.

District number one includes all the borough of Charleroi lying South of Fifth street.

Name	Address	Votes
Miss Goldie Evans	McKean	84,752
Win Moss	424 Washington Ave.	1940
Hamilton Booth	320 Fallowfield	1568
" Florence Conaway	315 "	2354
" Agnes Rosbottom	208 Crest	8040
Miss Carrie Carver	219 Fallowfield Ave.	1747
Chas Schmieler	333 "	3402
W. I. Higgins	109 "	1000

DISTRICT NO. TWO.

District number two includes all the borough of Charleroi lying between Fifth St. and Eighth St.

Harry E. Vetter	716 Washington	500,001
Capt. Dale Jolliffe	608 Fallowfield	487,813
C. J. Matthews	600 "	1000
Miss Elizabeth Pardini	604 "	2856
Miss Margaret Brightwell	"	1020
Miss Alice Rock	728 Washington	4399

DISTRICT NO. THREE.

District number three, includes all the Borough of Charleroi lying between Eighth St. and the borough line.

Elsie Fiedler	833 Crest Ave	8691
Miss Alma Snyder	218 Ninth St.	3693
Albert Brown, Jr.	934 "	1165

DISTRICT NO. FOUR.

District number four, include North Charleroi, Monessen and Belle Vernon.

" Pearl Speers	Monessen	1672
Miss Mercedes McGivney	Monessen	1115
" Ruth Markell	"	1210
" Grace Reeder	"	1010
" Mary Jackson	North Charleroi	1155
Mrs. Moser	Monessen	1190
Alfred Higginbotham	North Charleroi	1243
Robert McGowan	"	1000
John Metz	"	1000
R. G. Staley	"	1090
John Stober	"	1030
E. A. Jordan	Belle Vernon	1345

DISTRICT NO. FIVE.

District number five includes, Speers, Dunlevy, Vesta, Allenport, Fayette City, Stockdale, Roscoe, Kleo, Coal Center and California.

George Collins	Elco	161,076
James Hall	Dunlevy	114,589
" Elsie Pyle	Coal Center	51,510
" Elsie Richards	"	1035
J. Klein	Roscoe	1340
Charles Fox	R. D. 4, Coal Center	1075
Ray Williams	Coal Center	1000
Dr. Frantz	"	1210
Miss Clara Snead	Speers	1000
Pearl Smith	"	1000
Leola Frye	R. F. D. 1, Speers	1000
N. V. Hughes	"	1000
William E. Hart	California	1220
Ben Usher	Fayette City	1000
Ray Hetherington	"	1000
McKee Middleton	"	1000
Miss Jennie Hicks	"	1135
" M. McLeary	Allenport	1000
" Laura Ghrist	"	1190
" Annie Miller	"	1000
" Hattie Long	"	1000
M. Dorley	Dunlevy	1460
C. K. Chalfant	Speers	1200
William Kuhn	"	1100
Boyd Montgomery	"	1170
Miss Easter	California	1630

DISTRICT NO. SIX.

Includes Donora, Monongahela and Bentleyville

" Agnes Klonan	Monongahela	1974
Miss Erna Volker	Monongahela	1125
" Maud Stratham	"	1105
" Bessie Webb	"	1095
" Ella Baker	Bentleyville	1246

and woodland reserves of the State. Governor Stuart says:

"The conservation of our natural resources has become a question of National importance. The destruction of our forests has intensified the floods and freshets which rob the soil of its fertility, clog the streams with silt and sand and fill up navigable rivers and harbors.

"On the other hand, he who plants a tree or protects it from fire and other enemies, helps to make his State a better dwelling place and makes a substantial gift to further generations.

"Wise legislative enactment has made it the duty of the Commonwealth's chief executive to name in each year one or more days for the planting of trees and the dissemination of useful information in regard to their growth and economic value."

School children and civic bodies are specially urged to take advantage of and observe Arbor Days. In many school districts trees are planted on the school grounds and the pupils given lessons in nurturing and caring for the trees. Many of the towns now have tree committees as a part of local civic work and the movement for tree planting inaugurated by Arbor Day in the State is rapidly gaining ground. Monessen is in the tree committee class, but Charleroi has not yet joined the procession in this most progressive movement.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Now that the milkmen have got about everything their own way except a part of the milk ordinance, may we please request, if it is not out of order, that we may be able to

get good milk to use for dinner, without so much talk.

Charleroi men as well as Washington men can occasionally scrape up a rich relative to leave them part of their estate.

Brownsville will need a free bridge by the time the Government gets through with the situation there.

Even the age of Brownsville, and the remarkable history it possesses as the birthplace of great men, will not prevent the Supreme Court from deciding against its interests occasionally.

The Standard Oil Trust has been referred to as a National Scandal. Where is Ida Tarbell, so that she can second the motion?

King Edward is seriously ill. Get the bulletin service into operation.

Apparently agitation against high prices has resulted in one thing—sending them higher.

When frozen rotten eggs are sold from cold storage plants to bakers to manufacture the cake you eat, and you get the stomachache, is it any wonder the doctor is getting rich?

It is only the privileged that attain that summit were the newspaper correspondent announces that they have gone into conference.

Some fellows think that all you have to do to get your names in the paper is to act queer and do queer things. That may be true, but it is an indication of mental unbalance.

Post Card Social.

The Luther League will hold a post card social in their Sunday School rooms of the Lutheran church tonight. All are invited. Admission 10 cents. 1791

Easter Clothes

FOR THE MAN WHO CARES

YOU'VE got a treat in store for you, and this is the store it's in. We're going to show you some of the liveliest clothes you ever saw, special snappy models made for us by

Hart, Schaffner & Marx
Michael Stern & Co.
Fashion Clothes Makers

It seems as though the weavers had made a special point in getting beauty, in designs this spring. The new models also are particularly good, there's no doubt about it. The clothes we show have style about them which you don't find in any other clothes.

Men's and Young Men's Suits
\$10, \$12, \$15,
\$20 to \$25

Boys' Suits
\$1.98, \$3, to \$5



GREENBERG'S

Fifth and McKean,

Charleroi, Pa.

REMOVAL SPECIALS

The following are cuts of only
Corn Fed Beef:

Fine Pot Roast	12 1-2c.	Hamburg Steak	12 1-2c
Best Round Steak	15c	12 1-2c Oleo Butter	12 1-2c
Select Cut Sirloin	18c	Ohio Creamery	27c
Rib Roast	15c	Satisfaction Coffee	2 lbs. for 25c
Liver Sausage	10c	Cream Cheese	22c
Ring Bologna	10c	Smere Case	12c

After April 1st we will occupy 5 and 10c Building, 209 Fifth Street.

McDERMOTT'S 426 Fallowfield Avenue

LOCAL MENTION

Interesting News Items Condensed for Busy Readers.

Mrs. Earl Piper went to Pittsburg and Duquesne this morning where she will visit friends.

If you are looking for a Stienblocc suit call on M. Meyers and Son, Donora avenue, Monessen. 1,000 to select from \$18.00 to \$30.00. 1791

The supper given by the ladies of the Methodist Episcopal church last night was largely attended, and the affair was a huge success.

Mrs. T. D. Casselman, of New Waterford, Ohio, is a guest of Mrs. Emma Dawson of Washington avenue. 1791

Miss Liene Steinberg of Huntingdon is spending a few days in Charleroi, the guest of Misses Clara and Susie Beigel.

Get your Easter Suit at Meyers' Store, Monessen, and look a little different than the ordinary dresser of Charleroi. See our swell line of young men's Easter Suits, \$12.00, \$15.00 and \$18.00. 1791

Mrs. Della P. Halstead left yesterday for Tarentum where she will attend the funeral of her father-in-law, John Halstead, who died Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Greene of the northern part of the State, after a visit of some weeks in Charleroi with friends and relatives left this morning for their home.

William H. Atkins of J. W. Berry-

man and Son's store went to Pittsburg this morning on business.

John Gougge is a Pittsburg business visitor today.

W. C. Clark of the Economic Store is transacting business in Pittsburg.

Congressman John K. Tener left last night for Washington, D. C., being called back there on his Congressional duties.

Mrs. Clara J. Lowstutter has sold to Charles Trith of Monessen a lot in North Charleroi on Highland avenue. The consideration was \$175.

Read the Mail

SALE OF SHOES OF THE STAR SHOE CORNER

STILL GOING ON
at Adolph's, 502 Fallowfield Avenue.

\$15,000 worth of men's, women's, misses' and children's shoes must be sold for cost here on Saturday. This Sale only lasts Three Days Longer.

The most famous shoes now being sold in America, such as Regal, Emerson, Queen Quality, Dorothy Dodd, Radcliffe, Red Cross, Packard, go Saturday at cost of manufacturing. Nothing reserved. Every pair of Shoes in this enormous stock must be sold regardless of loss. When, where and how will such an opportunity arrive again to the wage earners of Charleroi? Never! And as the time is limited to dispose of this enormous stock you had better take advantage of it at once—don't wait until tomorrow—act quickly for such bargains won't last long. Every pair of Shoes advertised in this Star Shoe Corner Sale is yours at cost, no matter what style or kind, they happen to be. I mean what I say—Shoes at Cost. Now come and reap a harvest in great bargains.

Women's \$3.00 to 3.50 shoes \$1.95
Women's 2.00 to 2.50 shoes 1.00
Men's 3.00 to 3.50 shoes 1.95
Men's 2.00 to 2.50 shoes 1.00

600 pairs Baby Shoes, per pr.

1c

Only 1 pair to a customer

Every pair strictly fine dress shoes, and I want the most particular people of Charleroi to come to this sale. You who are the hardest to please, you who have been wearing one particular brand, you will appreciate the almost phenomenal values in this

\$1.95 Offer

Just 963 pairs in this lot and various styles, leathers and qualities to please every woman and man.

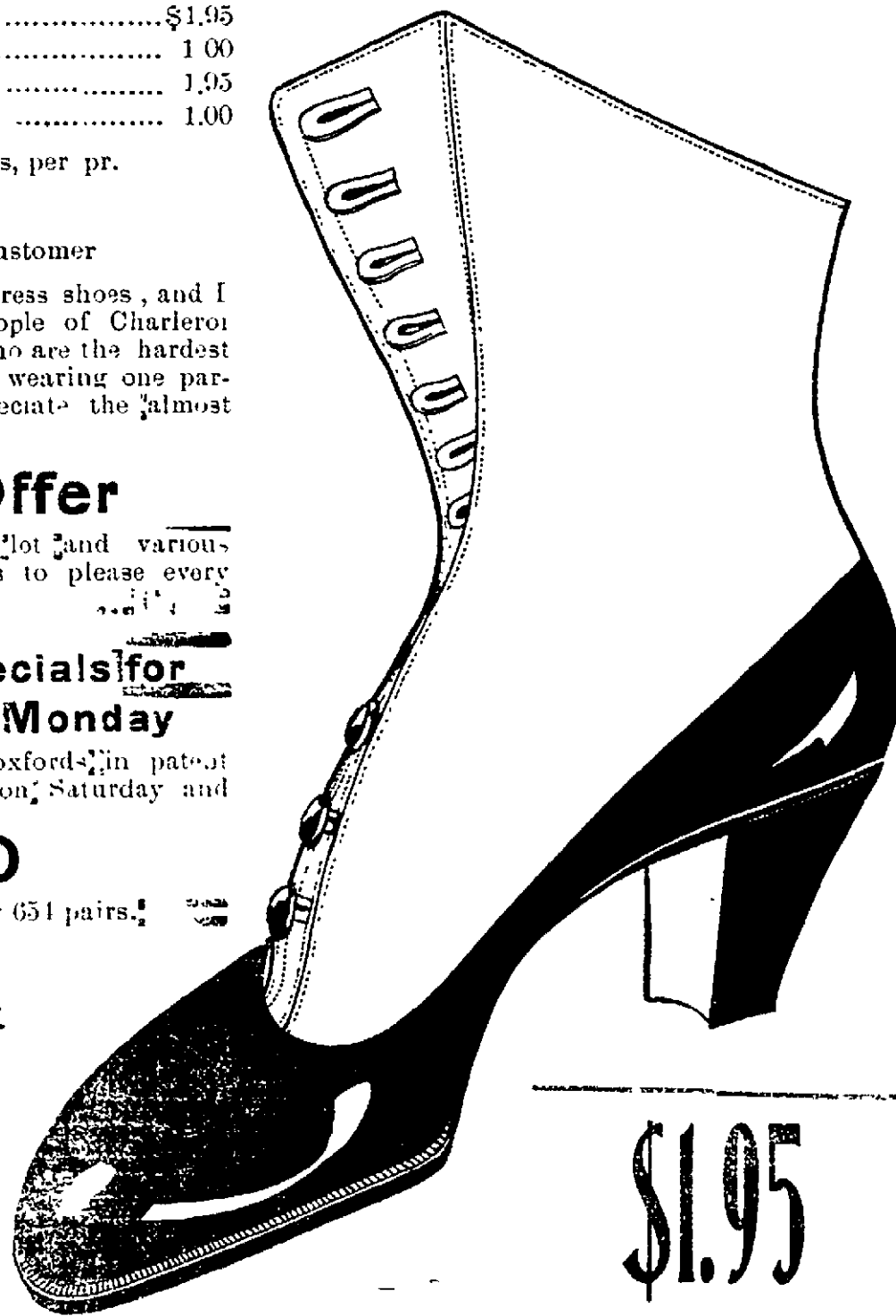
**Read these specials for
Saturday and Monday**

651 pairs of ladies' fine oxfords, in patent kid, tan or dull. I will sell on Saturday and Monday only at

\$1.00

Remember there are only 651 pairs.

\$1.95



\$1.95

Stop and see "Adolph, of Course" about his other specials on Saturday, for boys, misses and children. Pick them out of his big case.

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Charleroi, Pa.

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NEW GOODS AT THE OLD
"NECESSITY SALE" PRICES.

Pfleghardt's

Force of Habit.
Kilky—I did a very absentminded thing this morning. Street—What was it? Kilky—Offered a tip to the man who shaved my nose.—Boston Transcript.

When a true genius appears in the world you may know him by this sign, that the dunces are all in confederacy against him.—Swift.

Lemon Juice Whitens Rice.
It is said that a dash of lemon juice added to the rice while boiling will not only whiten the kernels, but will add just a suggestion of the lemon flavor. This will be found to be a pleasant change.

Caught.
She—Did you hear they were going to tax bachelors? He—Yes, but they'll never get it out of me. She—It is nice of you to put it that way, but I must speak to mother first.—Illustrated Bits.

The Announcement Followed.
She—They say there are germs in kisses. Now, what do you suppose a girl could catch that way? He—A husband.—Ladies' Home Journal.

A pound of care will not pay an ounce of debt.—Dutch Proverb.

A Safety Holder.
The person who delights in a fountain pen, but is always in fear of the ink spilling out, now finds comfort in a safety holder. This is in nickel and in wood and costs very little.
It can be attached to any fountain pen and keeps it from spilling a drop of ink.

Our Neighbors.
"We simply must move," said his wife positively. "I can't stand this place any longer."
"All right," replied her husband. "I know a flat we can get that is \$5 cheaper than this one."
"Well, I should say not. If we move into that the neighbors would think we couldn't afford to stay where we are."—Detroit Free Press.

MILLIONS OF LIVES LOST

An Awful Toll Collected by Consumption. Many Unnecessary Deaths Caused by this Disease.

If people could only understand that systemic catarrh is an internal disease that external applications cannot cure, they would not need to be warned so often about this malady, which, when neglected, paves the way oftentimes for consumption, at the loss of millions of lives every year. Yet catarrh may be cured, if the right treatment is employed.

Catarrh is caused by a general diseased state of the system which leads so commonly to annoying and perhaps serious local conditions, which may prove a fertile breeding ground for germs of consumption. External remedies give but temporary ease.

The only way to successfully treat catarrh is by employing a medicine which is absorbed and carried by the blood to all parts of the system, so that the mucous membrane or internal lining of the body is toned up and made capable of resisting the infection of consumption and other diseases.

We have a remedy prepared from the prescription of a physician who for thirty years studied and made catarrh a specialty and whose record was a patient restored to health in every case where his treatment was followed as prescribed. That remedy is Rexall Mucic-Tone. We are so positive that it will completely overcome catarrh in all its various forms, whether acute or chronic, that we promise to return every penny paid us for the medicine in every case where it fails or for any reason does not satisfy the user.

We want you to try Rexall Mucic-Tone on our recommendation and guarantee. We are right here where you live, and you do not contract any obligation or risk when you try Rexall Mucic-Tone on our guarantee. We have Rexall Mucic-Tone in two sizes, 50 cents and \$1.00. Very often the taking of one 50-cent bottle is sufficient to make a marked impression upon the case. Of course in chronic cases a longer treatment is necessary. The average in such instances is three \$1.00 bottles. Remember you can obtain Rexall remedies in Charleroi only at our store—The Rexall Store John W. Carroll.

DON'T BE OLD

You will Not be if You Follow the Simple Plan

The woman of forty-five should be just in full bloom, and her maturer beauty should resist the inroads of Time for many years thereafter. But this is possible only when the delicate skin of the face has been put in perfect condition. A pure healing and cleansing skin food of which Crown Cream is undoubtedly the best on the market, will work wonders, even with a neglected complexion, when used in connection with correct massage. And that is not only possible, but very easy for the woman who owns the remarkable massage appliance called the Harlan Beauty Cup. This is a most ingenious vacuum appliance made of pure Para rubber, and gives much better results than are possible with manipulation of the delicate skin texture by the fingers.

While every user of Crown Cream knows that it alone will work wonders, driving away wrinkles, restoring complexions to their youthful beauty and improving the health of the skin in every way, yet by the use of the Beauty Cup these desirable results are hastened and made permanent. Not only is massage made easy, but there is no danger of injury to a delicate skin from unskillful fingers. The Harlan Beauty Cups are sold by all good dealers at the regular price of 50c. each and this is also the price of Crown Cream. If your dealer is not now supplied, they will be sent, prepaid upon order direct to the Harlan Mfg. Co., Toledo. Enclose the exact price and give your dealer's name also. Hennings' Drug Store, Fifth Street and McKean Avenue.

\$600 AN ACRE PAID FOR FALLOWFIELD COAL

Six hundred dollars an acre was the price paid for a 90 acre tract of coal in Fallowfield township this week by the Pittsburgh and Westmoreland Coal company. This is the highest figure yet paid for the black diamonds in Fallowfield township. The farm purchased is that of the Daniel Campbell heirs.

Will Appear at Monongahela.

The W. and J. College Glee Club which appears at School Hall next Tuesday night for the benefit of the Boys' Brigade, will appear at Monongahela Monday night.

Better Than Ever

and more complete—our line of Spring Suits and Furnishings for Men and Boys is one you will enjoy looking through.

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FOR RENT—House, 2 rooms, call 424 Lincoln Avenue. 1756p

FOR RENT—All the latest and new books at the rate of 3 cents a day. Might's Library, 509 McKean. 17743

FOR RENT—3 1-2 acres of ground, 5 room house, stable. Above reservoir in Charleroi. Inquire of M. J. Tylvasky, Charleroi, Pa. 1783p

FOR SALE—Grocery and meat market at Lock No. 4, nice clean stock, new fixtures, no old stock. This store is doing \$1,000 per month without taking orders. Can be doubled. Cheap rent. Will be sold at invoice. Reason for selling, sickness. D. W. Roup, Lock No. 4, Pa. 1783p

An Expert's Opinion of Skin Diseases.

A prominent, national expert on skin diseases whose name you are familiar with says that in all his scientific experience he has never found so hard a disease to conquer as Eczema. Yet he does not hesitate to recommend Zemo as a most successful remedy for the treatment of Eczema, itching skin diseases, dandruff, pimples, blackheads and all other diseases of the skin and scalp. He says that not only do its curative qualities make it popular but also the fact that it is a clean, liquid remedy for external use. A great improvement over the old style greasy salves and lotions which are not only unpleasant to use but do not destroy the germ life that causes the disease. Zemo draws the germs to the surface and destroys them, leaving the skin clear and healthy. Can be used freely on infants. Piper Bros. will gladly supply those who call with a free sample bottle of Zemo and a booklet which explains in simple language all about skin diseases and how to cure yourself at home with Zemo.

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MORE PINKHAM CURES

Added to the Long List due to This Famous Remedy.

Oronogo, Mo.—"I was simply a nervous wreck. I could not walk across the floor without my heart fluttering and I could not even receive a letter. Every month I had such a bearing down sensation, as if the lower parts would fall out. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done my nerves a great deal of good and has also relieved the bearing down. I recommended it to some friends and two of them have been greatly benefited by it."—Mrs. M. McNicht, Oronogo, Mo.

Another Grateful Woman.
St. Louis, Mo.—"I was bothered terribly with a female weakness and backache, bearing down pains and pins in lower parts. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound regularly and used the Sanative Wash, and now I have no more troubles that way."—Mrs. A. L. Herzoo, 5722 Prescott Ave., St. Louis, Mo.
Because your case is a difficult one, doctors having done you no good, do not continue to suffer without giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. It surely has cured many cases of female ills, such as inflammation, ulceration, displacements, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, indigestion, dizziness, and nervous prostration. It costs but a trifle to try it, and the result is worth millions to many suffering women.

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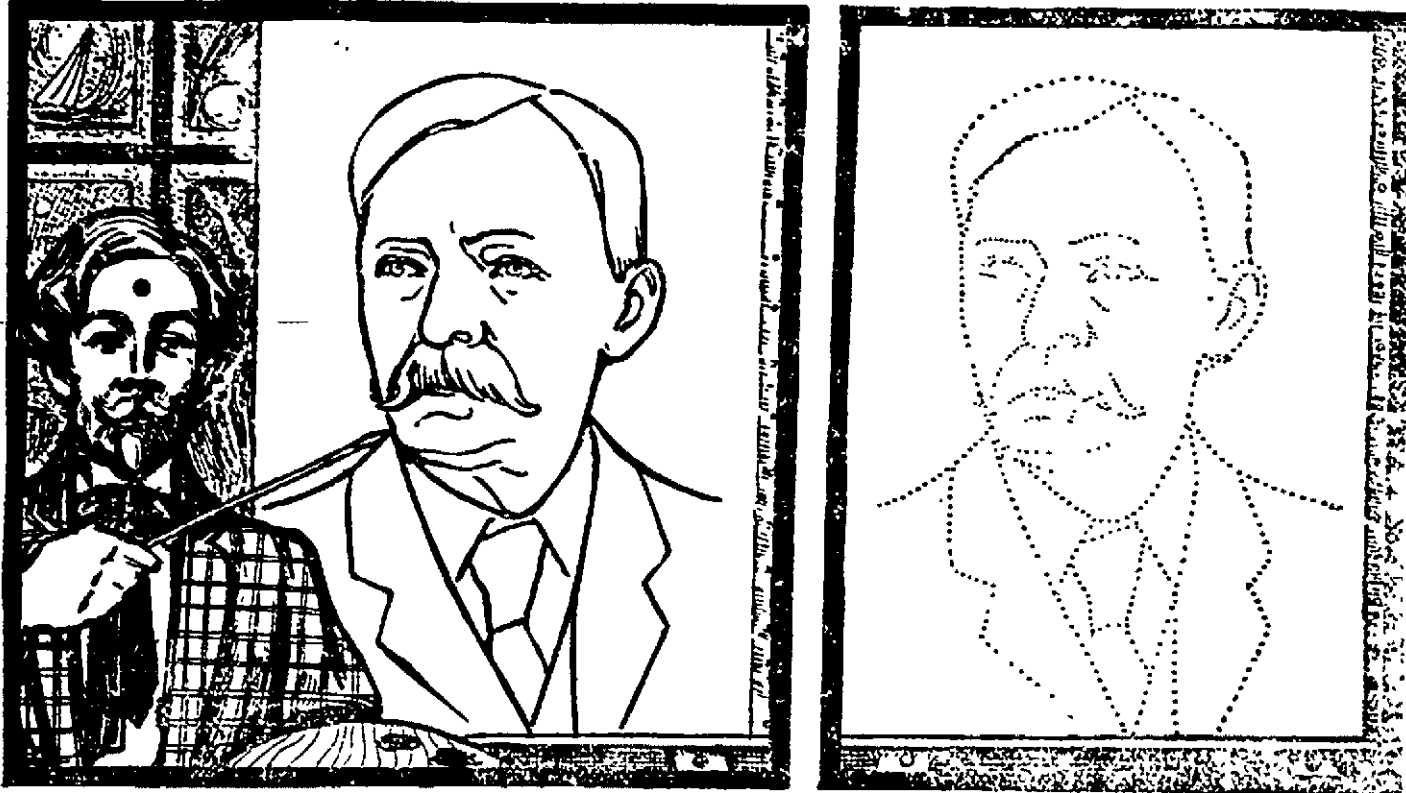
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5 Checks, each valued at \$100
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50 Checks, each valued at \$65
75 Checks, each valued at \$50
100 Checks, each valued at \$45
200 Checks, each valued at \$35

See how accurately, neatly and artistically you can draw the above picture of Henry Lindeman. To afford everybody who enters the contest a fair chance, we have placed a dotted outline of Mr. Henry Lindeman's features in the right hand panel. You can trace your sketch over this dotted outline, with such additions or omissions as you believe will improve the picture—or you can send in a free hand drawing—either pen or pencil may be used. To the person submitting the best sketch—neatest and most artistic—we will award and deliver **FREE** a

\$400 HENRY & S. G. LINDEMAN PIANO

This offer is made and the gifts will be awarded by Henry & S. G. Lindeman for the purpose of advertising their celebrated Pianos in this section. All answers must be made to C. C. Mellor Co., Pittsburgh, who have agreed to act for Henry & S. G. Lindeman.

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They are fully warranted, exactly as if they were sold for \$2.50 instead of being given away. Write easily, smoothly. Will give great and lasting satisfaction. One of the excellent Fountain Pens will be awarded to each contestant who fails to win any of the principal prizes.

These simple rules govern the contest:

1. The competition will close at noon, Friday, April 1st.
2. No contribution from a professional artist will be considered.
3. The decision of the judges must be accepted as final.
4. The sketch submitted may be traced over the dotted outline in right hand panel, with additions or omissions—or it may be a free hand drawing.
5. The \$400 Henry & S. G. Lindeman Piano will be delivered to the successful contestant on or before Wednesday, April 6—absolutely free of any charge.
6. All answers MUST be mailed to ART DEPARTMENT, C. C. Mellor Co., 319-321 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.
7. Every contestant is to correctly answer the following questions on this Coupon:

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THE WITCHES' TREE.

Superstitions Regarding the Influence
of the Elder.

Country people speak of the elder tree as "the witches' tree" and planted it near farm buildings and dairies to keep off witches. They also say that the roots should never come near a well, still less grow into it, or the water will be spoiled. Evelyn's opinion was also unfavorable. The diarist says: "I do by no means commend the scent of it, which is very noxious to the air."

"We learn from Blesius that a certain house in Spain, seated among many elder trees, diseased and killed nearly all its inhabitants, which, when at last they were grubbed up, became a very healthy and wholesome place."

Cattle scarcely touch the elder, and the mole is driven away by the scent. Carters often placed branches on their horses' heads to keep off flies. Nothing will grow well in the company of the elder, and when it has been removed and all its roots carefully grubbed up it is some few years before the ground becomes perfectly sweet and good for anything.

The berries, besides feeding the birds, make excellent country wine, delicious with soda water in summer or taken hot in winter. The wood is particularly good for skewers, and a curious red fungus grows on elder stumps. A species of elder in the Tyrol is covered with beautiful scarlet berries.—Selborne's Magazine.

Smart Electors.

At an open air political meeting in the north of England a man cried, "Hurrah for Jackson!" to which a bystander replied sarcastically, "Hurrah for a Jackass!" "All right, my friend," exclaimed the first speaker. "You can hurrah for your candidate, and I'll do the same for mine!"

All electors are not so gifted, as the following experience of a canvasser in Devonshire clearly indicates:

"Whom are you voting for, my good fellow?" he asked.

"I votes for the lady."

"But there is no lady candidate standing."

"Well," replied Hodge, "Poll Early comes on my voting paper before the names of the two men, and I thought I'd vote for her. See!"—Chambers' Journal.

ANCIENT DOCTORS.

Some of the Things They Knew Twelve
Hundred Years Ago.

The Russian Academy of Medicine after examining a Tibetan "Hand-book of Medicine," first published 1,200 years ago, acknowledges that it contains many truths discovered or rediscovered by modern physicians. Here are some extracts from the ancient volume:

"Number of bones in the human body, 300; number of nerves, 99; number of pores, 11,000,000."

"The heart is the king of the organs and the staff of life. The lungs embrace it as a mother does her child. Sicknesses are due to man's malice, ignorance and inability to curb the passions, for these things interfere with the proper nourishment of the human organs. All unkind thoughts react upon the heart and liver."

The methods for ascertaining the state of a person's health were very similar to those methods employed today—looking at the tongue, feeling the pulse, etc. Vegetable medicines are advocated; also baths, compresses, massage, bloodletting, etc. Fines were imposed upon physicians who did not keep their instruments clean.

A traveler stopped at a hotel in Greenland, where the nights are six months long, and as he registered asked a question of the clerk.

"What time do you have breakfast?"

"From half past March to a quarter to May."—Harper's Weekly.

Boring the Bores.

"What do you do to get rid of bores?"

"Just as soon as they come into my office I start in telling them of the latest cute thing my baby said."—Detroit Free Press.

But He Did.

Her Mother—I saw him kiss you! I am terribly shocked. I did not for a moment imagine he would dare take such a liberty. Herself—Nor did I, ma. In fact, I bet him a pair of gloves he didn't!

Odd Death Certificates.

Certificates of death are not documents where one usually seeks for humor, but there is frequently to be found in them much of the unconscious variety. Here, for instance, is how the cause of death is stated in the case of a laborer.

"Died from injuries received through a bull accidentally kneeling on his chest."

The consideration shown for the feelings of the bull is a fine touch and suggests grave questions on the moral responsibility of the lower animals.

Again, a man is stated to have "died from the effects of injuries received after being run over by a railway train in motion owing to a misunderstanding between deceased and an engine driver." This description of a rather ordinary railway casualty is excellent.—London Express.

A Convenient Disinfectant.

A handy disinfectant for household use is made of chlorate of lime moistened with vinegar and water in equal parts. It may be kept in the cellar all the time, and in case of sickness a few drops scattered about will purify the air in the room.

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Black work shirts and overalls **39c**

Other work shirts **35c**

Men's work shoes **98c**

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Shoes for the family at low prices.



The Old Story

Long time ago, when the animals were getting their freedom suits news was sent around that everyone was to come to the great man's castle to be fitted out. The squirrel invited the rabbit to go for a set of teeth, but he said salt. The cat asked him to go for claws, but the rabbit said there is plenty of time. But when the other animals came back with claws and teeth he came to his senses, and made a run for the castle, only to find there was nothing to fit him, like some people of today who put off having their eyes properly fitted with glasses, when it costs them nothing to have them examined at

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His Worthless Son.

There lives an old negro truck farmer in Alabama who has frequent occasion to reprove his children for their lack of industry.

"Yo' suttinly is a wuthless son," the old fellow declared one day to his oldest. "It's a doggoned good thing fo' yo' I ain't a rich nigger."

"What yo' talkin' 'bout, pap?" asked the son. "What yo' think yo' do den?" "I'd dishearten 'em. Dat's what I do," exclaimed the old man wrathfully.—Lippincott's.

Sidestepped.

Father (to son, who is taller). Well, John, how do you get along at school today? Johnny: I get my physiology books, says conversation at meals should be of a pleasant character. Let's talk about something else.—Chicago News.

Musical Reception.

Brown—What did your wife say about your being so late home the other night?

Jones—Nothing at all. She just sat down at the piano and played "Tell Me the Old, Old Story."

Preaching and Practice.

Ted—I hear he's giving a lecture on "How to Live on 15 Cents a Day." Is he doing well with it? Ned—Fine. I met him in a restaurant after the lecture, and he was eating a two dollar dinner.—Puck.

Old fools are more foolish than young ones.—La Rochefoucauld.

The Coloring of the Clouds.

The gorgeous coloring of the clouds, especially those of sunset, is due to the circumstance that the yellow and red rays of light have a much greater penetrative momentum than the blue. They make their way through stretches of the atmosphere which entirely arrest and turn back the blue, and they do this the more markedly if the air is at the time laden with extraneous particles that augment the aerial opacity.—New York American.

A Hairbreadth Escape.

A certain comedian is bald except for a rim of hair a few inches above his collar line.

"I'm in an awful hurry," he said one day to the Lamb's club barber. "Can you cut my hair with my collar on?"

"Sure," replied the barber. "I can cut it with your hat on."—Success Magazine.

Poetic License.

Sporting Editor—Just what do you understand by the term "poetic license?" Literary Editor—Broadly speaking, it is that singular provision in the constitution of the universe under which poets are permitted to exist.—Chicago Tribune.

Proposals.

"Has he proposed yet?"
"Not in so many words."
"That's no answer. Proposals never do come in words. They consist of sighs, hems, haws and gurgles."—Cleveland Leader.

A Thirteenth Century Drink.

Thirteenth century tastes in food had few limitations. Besides the "fowl of Africa and the rare gadwall of Ionian" mentioned by Fitzstephen, gourmets in the time of King John used to regale themselves on herons, cranes, crows, storks, cormorants and bitterns. Some would wash their meals down with wine, but the majority drank mead or metheglin. Mead, according to Hollinshed, was only the washing of the combs after the honey had been taken from them and so poor a beverage that it had to be spiced, peppered or made palatable with sweetbrier or thyme. But metheglin contained one hundredweight of honey to twenty-four gallons of water and must have been much more intoxicating than the strongest ale of the present day.—London Chronicle.

Pioneer Days in Missouri.

In 1851 there was in Huntsville a man who pulled teeth for 25 cents and a photographer who made daguerrotypes at \$1.50 each. The first was called "doctor" and the second "professor." They moved in the highest circles, as being the representatives of the sciences and arts. With deer, birds and all manner of game in the woods and fine fish in the streams so cheap that the poorest larders were stocked with it, the grocers did a big business in mackerel, herring and sardines. The latter were real dainties, because the better food was so plentiful the pioneers got tired of it.—Macop Republican.

The Man and the Mummy.

"This," said the guide who was piloting a bunch of tourists through Egypt as he pointed to a mummy, "was a high priest, the wisest man of his day. He lived to a great age."

"Was his last illness fatal?" queried the wag of the bunch.
"Of course it was," answered the guide, with a look of pity at the other.
"That's queer," rejoined the waggy person. "His present appearance would seem to indicate that he was permanently cured."—Chicago News.

The Prayer He Didn't Make.

In a certain parish near Dumfries a newly made elder was summoned to the sickbed of a parishioner. Being naturally a bashful man, he was in great anxiety as to the "prayer he wad ha'e to pit up" and wished to avoid going altogether. At length he was persuaded by his wife and started on his errand. On his return his wife greeted him with the query:
"And how did ye get on, William?"
"Oh, grand! He was deid."—Dundee Advertiser.

Revenge.

"That organist Belle jilted for the aged millionaire played a spiteful trick at her wedding."

"What did he do?"
"Instead of playing them up the aisle with the wedding march, he struck up 'Old Hundred.'"—Boston Transcript.

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A Bright Idea.

"Hogan's cow bruk into the strawberry patch this mornin', sorr, an' it's blivy damages we shuld git from him."

"It's no use, Patrick. He'll be sure to swear it was somebody else's cow."
"The devil a bit, sorr. He can't. Oi shut the baste in there fur evidence."—Judge.

Crushed.

Colonial Dame (impressively)—My ancestors came over in the Mayflower. Daughter of the Revolution—Humph! If my ancestors were immigrants I wouldn't hear of it.—Pathfinder.

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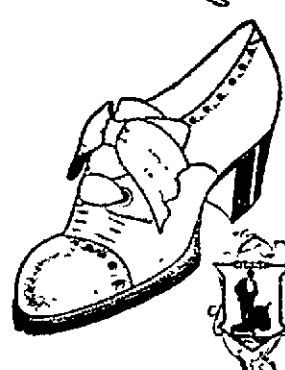
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Beallsville.

Miss Blanche Weir, near Ellsworth entertained at her home Wednesday evening. Games and music were the features of the evening. Miss Weir was assisted in entertaining by her sister, Miss Mary Weir. Those present were: Misses Ola McDonough, Leah Walker, Ethel Watson, Grace Henderson, Alta McCallister, Martha Brookings, Gladys Crumrine, Mabel Winnett, Corrim Riddle, Jessie Knes-trick; Messrs. George and Clyde Watson, Lawrence McVaine, John Burgan, Thomas Walker, Leslie Winnett, Otto McDonough, Don Murray, Winnett Wright, Shirley and Russell Sprowls. Fred Hawkins and lady friend, Miss Bertha Dockins of Wilkesburg, are visiting at the home of Theodore Hawkins.

Mrs. Fred Hipp and niece, Miss Geraldine Burd, of Clairton, are spending a few days at Beallsville, visiting Mrs. Hipp's sister, Mrs. Archie K. Wickerham.

Mrs. Raymond Sheffer of Westmoreland county is here, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Matthews.

Mrs. Stephen Ulery has returned from a visit to Pittsburg relatives.

Mrs. Ira Reed was at Lone Pine, Pa., Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Evans.

William Marshall departed on Saturday for an extended western trip, which will take him to the Pacific coast, where he will spend a week. On his return trip he will visit Chicago, New Orleans, and other points. He will be absent about a month.

Miss Pearl Young is spending a week with Highland relatives.

Mrs. William Roger of Brownsville was visiting at the James Roger home Tuesday.

Mrs. Ara Crumrine is spending this week in Pittsburg, McKeesport and California.

Miss Rena Beall has returned to her home a Garwood after a visit with her aunt, Miss Clara Mitchell.

Miss Clara Beck of Braddock and Mrs. Harry Hornbake of Charleroi are guests of Mrs. W. L. Guiser.

Notice to the Public

According to our court's ruling we have discontinued solicitors. All persons wishing beer, will call at the Charleroi Brewery, or send order and money by mail, and the order will be promptly delivered.

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CHARLEROI HIBERNIANS CELEBRATE

Good Crowd Attends Affair
Held at Turner Hall Last
Evening.

MANY GOOD ADDRESSES

The annual St. Patrick's Day reception held by Charleroi Division No. 2, Ancient Order of Hibernians, at Turner Hall last night, brought out one of the largest crowds of the season. The occasion was an enjoyable one and the out-of-town guests who came from Monongahela, Monessen, Donora, Finleyville, Washington, Brownsville, and other places, as well as the guests from Charleroi, recognized it as one of the most successful events of the kind ever held by the Charleroi Division.

The evening's program opened with singing "The Star Spangled Banner," followed by the introduction of the chairman of the evening, P. Acton. William Feeney sang "Banishing the Snakes from Ireland" and Mrs. Kate McPherson of Castle Shannon, "The Wearing of the Green."

Congressman John K. Tener was introduced, as one of the chief speakers of the evening. He spoke of what the Irish are doing in America, and made the statement that he hoped the day was not far distant when Ireland would secure her proper recognition as one of the nations of the world. He said that the influence of the Irish was felt in every clime, and was greater than it has ever been before. In England, especially, where Irish members of Parliament compose the thinking and acting men, was this influence most noticeable.

Following out the order of the program, William Connel sang an Irish melody, being followed by Mrs. Bertha Kleist with a song, "Innis Cahah." Rev. Father Charles Poetz, of Monongahela was introduced and made a stirring address on the life of St. Patrick, the patron saint of the day. He took up the theme from a religious point of view and created a profound impression.

After an exhibition of Irish step dancing by little Miss Feeney, A. H. Anderson, former Republican county chairman, was introduced and made a stirring address. He said that the "sons of Ireland" are scattered abroad and that their bravery and noted thinking powers have made them a much respected and admired people. Mr. Anderson's address was calculated to please the audience and succeeded admirably.

The evening's program closed with the singing of "God Save Ireland" and the Ladies' Auxiliary of the A. O. H. served lunch. Meanwhile the ball room was put in shape, and after lunch dancing was enjoyed until 1 o'clock, music being furnished by Jenkins' orchestra.

For the occasion the stage was beautifully decorated with Irish and American flags and colors.

Poplins—The Popular Fabrics.

We have just received a shipment of the extremely popular weave of Poplins—Highly mercerized and full width. They come in plain Blue, Reseda, Garnet, Black, White, Navy, Cadet. Never sold for less than 25 cents the yard before. On Friday and Saturday only they will be put on sale at 19 cents the yard. Why Pay More? Kirk and Clark.

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Ex-Postmaster Will Come Up During May Term

Inspector H. H. Williams Has
Something to Say of Staley
Matter.

Postoffice Inspectors H. H. Williams of Greensburg, who was here yesterday making the inspection of the local postoffice, before leaving, speaking in reference to the charge against Robert C. Staley, deposed postmaster of North Charleroi, who is now confined in jail at Pittsburg, said that Staley would come up for trial before the May grand jury. Mr. Williams, who was the inspector that discovered the deficiency in Staley's accounts, said it is something over \$1,000. He is pushing the case against him.

On account of the Staley affair Inspector Williams has been held back in his annual inspection work along the valley about a week, and is working day and night to catch up. He went to Brownsville last night.

ENUMERATORS WILL BE SWORN IN NEAR FIRST OF APRIL

Announcement of Names Will
Not be Made Public
Until Then.

ONE LIST NOT RETURNED

Census Supervisor C. O. Frye announced that the names of his enumerators for the 21st district would not be made public for a week or ten days, after they have been acted upon by the Census Department at Washington, D. C. Mr. Frye sent in his lists sometime ago, and has received back all except for Washington county which he expects now any time.

The taking of the census will begin on April 15, and will continue until finished, about the middle of May. Supervisor Frye expects to complete his part of the work in June.

The enumerators will be sworn in about April 1, and it is not until after this time that the announcements of the appointees will be made.

Center Entrances Being Constructed in Monier Building

To prepare for the F. W. Woolworth and Company's Five and Ten cent store, the Monier building is being altered somewhat at the present time. The windows are being changed so that there will be two centre entrances instead of two side entrances. W. B. Pfeighardt has removed what stock he had remaining into the store room formerly occupied by The Stag. The Five and Ten cent store will go into the Monier building the first of April.

Public Sale March 22, 1910.

Charles Falk will sell the following at public auction on the Harris Farm near Eldora. Two horses, four cows, all kinds wagons, harness, tools, two tons hay, many household articles and other articles too numerous to name. Terms made known on day of sale. Chas. Falk. 1792p

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Perhaps you have been approached by one of your friends who is a candidate in this contest. Perhaps you have told him to count on you at the finish if he needs your help. Now is the time to show whether that offer of yours meant anything or not. Maybe you were just bluffing in hopes that he would forget about you in the excitement of the finish. The chances are he will forget about that offer, for he will be the busiest man the balance of the contest that you ever saw. He has about a hundred

promises like that of yours to think about, and he is trying to realize on as many as possible during the few days that remain.

The honorable thing for you to do then is to go to him with the cash for your subscription and save him the trouble of coming to you. In the time that he would spend in looking you up he could land a dozen new ones. Put yourself in his place. You would certainly expect him to come across if a little liberality and thoughtfulness on his part would win a fine new automobile for you.

Your subscription may be the one that wins the machine for your friend. Many contests have been decided by a few hundred votes and every subscription means that much in insurance for your favorite. It doesn't make any difference who he is, the report may be out in your neighborhood that your friend has a cinch on the first grand prize. The report is false. No one has a cinch, BUT YOU CAN HELP HIM CINCIT. COME ACROSS.

COUPONS NO GOOD. Due to the fact that the leading contestants are giving their attention to the subscriptions method of getting votes, it has been decided to discontinue the single paper coupons appearing in each issue of the paper. The last coupon will appear in Saturday's issue of the Mail and no coupons will be counted after Monday.

REGULAR FORTNIGHTLY MEETING OF THE ATHENE CLUB BEING HELD TODAY

The meeting of the Athene Club is being held by special invitation at the home of Mrs. F. P. McCloskey at the corner of Crest avenue and Sixth street this afternoon, convening at 2:30. The subject for discussion is "England." "Before the Conquest" short talks are to be discussed by Miss Laura Brown who will read a paper on "Alfred the Great." Miss Margueretta Christy on "Cnut," and Mrs. F. P. McCloskey, on "Edward the Confessor." Mrs. E. I. Brown will discuss "William the Conqueror," and Mrs. Jesse K. Johnston will give a reading on "The Battle of Hastings."

CLOTHING FIRM IS DISSOLVED, ONE MEMBER GOING WEST

Jacob Swartz of the former clothing and men's furnishing firm of Swartz and Lessing of 619 Fallowfield avenue, has purchased his partner's interest and is conducting the business alone. Mr. Swartz is a capable business man in this line, a good citizen, and his many friends are glad to see him continue in business. The firm enjoyed a good trade which was built up by giving a square deal to every patron, a policy that will be continued along the same progressive lines by Mr. Swartz, who believes in printers' ink.

Harry Lessing, the former partner, has gone to Seattle, Washington, to locate. He was not accompanied by his family as stated in the Mail a few days ago, being an unmarried man. Mr. Swartz is the family man of the former firm.

If you are looking for a Steinbloch suit call on M. Meyers and Son, Donner avenue, Monessen. 1,000 to select from \$18.00 to \$30.00. 1794t

DANCING SCHOOL.

Prof. Catman's Dancing School every Tuesday night in the Bank of Charleroi Hall. Beginner's class 8 to 9, social dance 9 to 12, Maxwell Orchestra. Ladies, 25c; gentlemen, 50c. New dances will be taught. 177t6

Good Impression Created by Rev. Kerr's Lecture

Donora People Much Pleased
With Local Man's
Address.

Rev. G. G. Kerr, pastor of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church gave his noted lecture "The Value of the Boy and How to Get the Worth of Him," to a good sized audience at Donora last night. The lecture took well and was considered by the people who heard it one of the best that had ever been delivered there.

In connection with the lecture the Magic City quartet composed of Messrs. Charles Steele, John A. Bowman, Louis Jobs and Thomas Kendrick, sang. With them was Mr. Davis, a soloist. The quartet made its first public appearance out of town and they received exceptional praise. Miss Edna Lewis of Donora was the accompanist.

MILLINERY OPENING HELD YESTERDAY BY MRS. EMMA DAWSON

Most Successful Opening in
History of Local
Store.

NEW STYLES ARE PLEASING

Without doubt one of the most successful millinery openings in the history of her store was held yesterday and last evening by Mrs. Emma Dawson at her millinery establishment, 602 Fallowfield avenue. The crowds which visited the store were larger, the pleasure manifested at the showing of the many new millinery creations was keener, and the orders which resulted therefrom were greater than ever before at an opening held by Mrs. Dawson.

The new styles which Mrs. Dawson displayed to the best advantage were subjects of much favorable comment. The altered shapes of hats this year are pleasing, and the fact that Mrs. Dawson secured her patterns direct from the best establishments in New York city, gives her an enviable prestige.

A constant stream of visitors flocked the store from as early as 9 o'clock in the morning until late at night. No souvenirs were given, the offering in the millinery line taking all thought of such from the minds of the ladies who flocked thither. Mrs. Dawson has now at work a large force steadily employed at turning out the orders received yesterday for new spring bonnets.

Methodists Elect Lance Riggs This Year's Captain

The Methodist baseball team at a well attended meeting at the church last night elected Lance Riggs captain. He will get his men down to practice as soon as possible. Arrangements are being made for securing uniforms. The prospects are good for a good team this year.

Farkos.

Margaret Farkos, 13 months old, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Farkos, died last night. The funeral will be held on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment in the Charleroi cemetery.

One Bale Left.

Everybody Knows How Sheetings Have Advanced.

One bale of 40 inch wide unbleached sheeting to go at the old price. A good round thread for sheeting and family use. Well worth 10c. a yard but we will close out a thousand yards on Friday and Saturday only at 7 1-2 cents the yard. Why Pay More? Kirk and Clark. 1782t

Prizes for Scaool Essays.

"The City Beautiful" will be the subject of an essay on which the pupils of the Monongahela schools will contest for prizes next week. The business men of the town will donate the prizes.

Judson for State Senate.

Attorney J. Carter Judson of Washington is talked of as a Democratic candidate for State Senate in the Washington-Greene district.

THIRTEEN RESIDENTS EXAMINED

Successful in Obtaining Sec-
ond Papers of Naturali-
zation.

SEVEN GET FIRST PAPERS

Thirteen foreign born residents of Charleroi passed the examinations for their second and final naturalization papers at Pittsburg yesterday and seven foreign born residents received their first papers. The examination of the applications was conducted before Clerk of Courts Lindsay, by an assistant district attorney.

The party making the trip to Pittsburg numbered 21, being under the charge of M. J. Tylavsky, Andrew Olsavsky going as a witness. There were five Russians, three for second and two for first papers; 10 Slovaks for second and five for first papers; and one Belgian for first.

One failed to get his second papers because he had been unable to produce his first papers. He will return later.

The second papers will not be granted to the applicants for ninety days yet, to allow the proper authorities time to get them properly prepared, and in order that there is no unseemly haste. The first papers were granted yesterday. One of the judges grants the papers finally. Mr. Tylavsky will take another party to Pittsburg in the near future to secure naturalization papers.

ANIMAL SHOW TAKES WELL AT THE COYLE ON FIRST EVENING

The new program for the last half of the week at the Coyle Theatre proved to be one of exceptional merit and was thoroughly enjoyed by a large and appreciative audience. Clare's animal actors in pantomime gave a very clever performance displaying a most human intelligence in the different roles assigned them.

That clever comedian, Phil Berg, billed as "The Waps" kept the house in a continual uproar of laughter by his funny monologue about his "strong-e brud."

The singing and dancing trio, Morton, West and Morton, pleased with their new catchy songs and dances as did Musical Alward in his offering of classical and popular airs on the zelyphone.

Arthur and Jeanet, rightly named the "Peerless Pantomimic Pair," gave one of the most marvelous exhibition of contortion ever offered to the amusement going people of Charleroi.

Tomorrow, Saturday will be the usual souvenir matinee and the management have laid in a large supply of candy to accommodate every one attending. Admission 10 cents. Tomorrow night there will be 3 shows at 7, 8:15 and 9:30. Admission 10 and 15 cents.

Now in the Pen.

Frank Scateblea, who pleaded guilty to a charge of robbery and carrying concealed weapons and who was sentenced by the court to serve from two to eight years in the penitentiary, was this morning taken to that institution at Riverside. He is one of the alleged Black Handers who attempted to rob a store at Marianna.

MESH HAND BAGS

Prices \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4.50 and up to \$10.00

We have a dozen designs and styles for you to choose from. You'd be surprised how many people not intending to buy right away, drop in and look at these handsome novelties for future reference. Come and do likewise.

We have also different size Initials for Purses, price 35c and 50c.

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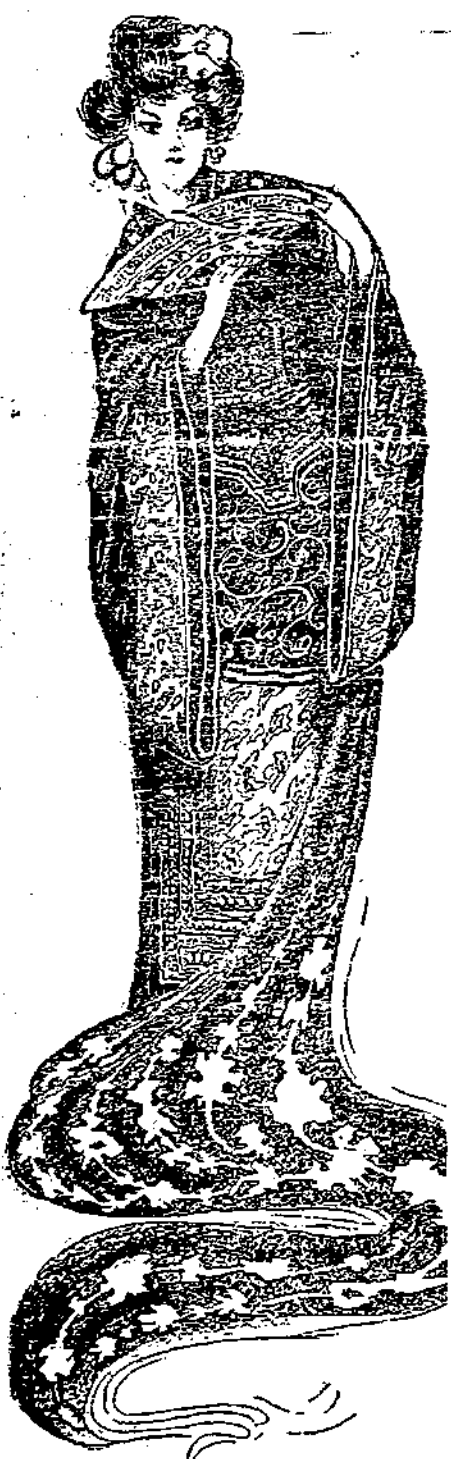
Our new and up to date stock of men's, women's and children's wear. Bigger crowds have attended this great slaughter sale than ever before. The reasons are, because people know that this is an absolute sale. Jos. G. Godissart, Charleroi's reliable shoe merchant, is forced on account of ill health to quit, give up business and move West. It don't matter the price, we must wind up his affairs. Everybody will take advantage of this great slaughter sale. Be one of them, save your money. It is a better investment than a bank; it pays you from 50 to 100 per cent. interest on your dollar, and you get the best shoes on earth. No dead stock, no shop worn goods; but up to the minute shoes. New spring models; shoes for everybody, for the old and young alike.

Come in Saturday. Get Here as Early as You Can

JOS. G. GODISSART'S GREAT SACRIFICE SALE

513 FALLOWFIELD AVENUE, CHARLELOI

NOTICE: Our styles and prices are too numerous to mention. Come in; we are sure you will be suited in both price and style. The Saville Salvage Co., the world's greatest bargain givers have charge of this sale.



His Occupation.

A big, brawny fellow in answer to a question in a justice's court as to what he did for a living said:
"Well, sir, in the spring I ketches 'em' sells young mockin' birds. In the summer I mostly sells rattlesnake buttons for rattles for the babies, but in the winter I sometimes has to chop wood."—Atlanta Constitution.

Enlarging the Limit.

"You are very foolish, Alfred. That is your third cigar, and you know the doctor limited you to one a day."
"Yes, dear, but I've consulted two other doctors, and each has allowed me one cigar a day; total, three!"

Clipping Their Wings.

The costume of the Pu Yuan Pen-t'en women in the Shan states is very striking, consisting of a cloth hood, an open jacket and a pair of short white trousers reaching barely to the knee. But the most important though the least noticeable part of their costume is their colored cloth gaiters. These the women are obliged to wear, as without them it is believed they would be able to fly away, leaving their husbands and sweethearts sorrowful.

Will Share Grave With Dog.

An aged spinster of Northumberland county, Pa., whose name is withheld, died recently, leaving a large estate, a portion of which is set aside for the maintenance and burial of a pet dog which she referred to as a faithful friend, says a dispatch to the New York Herald. The testatrix directs that the dog be placed in care of some person who for a cash consideration will give the animal kind treatment. At his death the dog is to be placed in a coffin and buried beside the testatrix.

A Curiosity in Boundaries.

About 600 yards from the station at Herseaux, at the crossroads from Oudegarde to Roubaix, on the way from Tournai to Mons, there is a directing post which from a topographical point of view is a curiosity. This post marks the separation between the two countries, France and Belgium: three provinces or departments, Le Nord, western Flanders and Hainaut; three bishoprics, Cambrai, Burges and Tournai. Three races dwell around it, speaking three languages, French, Flemish and Wallon. It is also in three communes, Wattrelos, Herseaux and Estaimpuis.—London Globe.

This Vale of Tears.

The news that science had at length discovered the means of destroying the germ of the last ill which flesh was heir to called forth rapturous rejoicings throughout the world.

"Henceforth perfect health will reign universally!" people everywhere exclaimed and gave themselves up to congratulations.

But that was not to be. In the very next day's paper was the account of somebody having invented a microscope so powerful as to reveal a lot more germs, which meant, of course, that it would be no time at all until everybody was sick again.—Puck.

Mexico City's Pawnshop.

The Monte de Piedad of Mexico City is an old and peculiar institution. Being a government establishment, it corresponds in scope and object to similar national pawnshops, such as the Mont de Piete in Paris or the K. K. Versatant in Vienna, but it is conducted on different business principles than those of the European institutions. Monte de Piedad was established in 1776 by Don Pedro Romero de Tierros, count of Regia, a wealthy mine owner, with the approval of the government, which at a later period took the business over itself.—Argo-

Invest in the Stock of a PRODUCING GOLD MINE.
It will pay you Large Returns on Your Investment.

Buy Mount Elliott Consolidated Mines Co. Stock

This Company owns in fee simple eleven patented mines (220 acres) in Big Mining District, Yavapai County, Arizona. These properties are equipped with three hoisting plants, a 10-stamp amalgamation and concentration mill; have been under continuous operation and development during the past two years.

The Mines and Mill will shortly be equipped with electric power and the capacity of present Mill doubled by the addition of 10 stamps, securing an increase of present earnings to approximately \$150,000.00 per annum.

The affairs of the Company are in competent and conservative hands as represented by its Directors and officers—principally residents of Pittsburgh, Pa.

This stock we believe will advance to 50c or 60c within a very short time, and should sell at \$1.00 or higher within next few months.

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There will be a Chi-Namel Demonstration at our store on March 28 and 29. Do not miss the opportunity to learn in five minutes how to secure a new hardwood floor for \$2.50, and how to have a Mission finish dining room, den or sitting-room without the expense of removing old paint or varnish.

Any old floor, oil cloth or linoleum made to look like new hardwood, any style of grain. Lessons Free by special instructor.

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**Handsome Premium
Parlor in Charleroi**

where you can select your premiums.

Watch for Big Advertisement in This Paper

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EASTER OPENING

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23, 1910

It is with pleasure we announce to our many friends and patrons, our Spring Opening; and we feel, with the people of this vicinity, that it is the leading event of the season. We invite you most cordially to see the grand display of New Spring Millinery, Coats, Suits, Dress Goods, Lace Curtains, Carpets, Rugs, etc., and to enjoy the superb music which will be a feature of both the afternoon and evening receptions. Music from 1 to 4 and 7:30 to 10 p. m.

J. W. BERRYMAN & SON,
CHARLEROI'S LIVE STORE.

THE DIAMOND CUTTER.

His Skill Has Much to Do With the Brilliance of the Gem.

When the expert looks at a diamond he can tell you in a moment where it came from and when it was cut. He knows by its color whence it comes, for the color of the Brazilian diamond differs from that of the South African, and even in South Africa different colors are found in different mines.

In the rough the diamond has little brilliancy, for there is a crust that must be cut away before it can properly refract the light, and it is this power of refraction which makes the brilliancy of a diamond and has everything to do with its value in the market. The skill of the diamond cutter has much to do with bringing out this brilliancy. He must do the most he can with the rough stone before him and lose as little as possible of the precious weight in the stone.

Diamonds are found in all kinds of queer shapes, for the carbon may be in any position while being crystallized, and the act of crystallization may affect only parts of that carbon. When the expert cutter has a rough diamond before him he judges almost instantly how it will cut to the greatest advantage. If it inclines to the pear shape he will make a pear shaped diamond of it. If it be square or round the cutting will follow the natural lines as closely as possible, so that the loss may be reduced to a minimum.

To make the stone as brilliant as possible the diamond cutter cuts many facets so as to refract the light from as many points as he can. A full cut brilliant has at least forty-eight facets, and so expert are the cutters that they often cut diamonds so small that it requires a hundred to weigh a carat. Each has forty-eight facets.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

MAN MONEY.

The Old Teutonic Law on Killing or Injuring Others.

The system of atoning for death or bodily injuries inflicted on others by paying damages is as old as the earliest Teutonic laws, praised by Tacitus. The trespasser was always required to make peace with the aggrieved family of the victim by "Wer-Geld."

"Wer" is the ancient German for man. "Geld," now, as in the days of Wotan, means money.

Damages were assessed in accordance with the rank and wealth of the injured party, and the money was paid over in the presence of the whole community, its acceptance forestalling feuds. Indeed, the recognition of Wer-Geld ("money for the man" killed) by law precluded further bloodshed or other forms of revenge.

If the slayer was not rich enough to pay the required sum, he turned over to the injured parties his sons as slaves. If his sons were not sufficient guarantee for the payment of the debt, the slayer himself had to turn bondsman, both the letter and the spirit of the law requiring that the full amount of damage inflicted be recovered by the aggrieved parties.—York World.

COOKS' SHOPS.

They Were the Beginnings of the Modern Restaurant.

In primitive times the only places in London where the public could be entertained with food had been the cooks' shops. The famous East Cheap was a great thoroughfare, down which the stalls of the butchers alternated with those of the cooks. You chose a joint at the flesh market, and you carried it next door to be cooked for you by a certain hour. If you wished for wine, you must bring that with you, for the cooks sold no liquor, although they seem to have provided, as time went on, more and more of the natural accompaniments of meat, such as bread, vegetables and pastry.

This habit continued until well into the reign of Elizabeth, and so long as such an inconvenient custom prevailed there could have been no real comfort for any citizen who chose to dine abroad. He must have had as much trouble with portage and baskets as a country party has today at a picnic. But about the time that Shakespeare came up to London a remarkable change took place in the customs of the town, and the practice of public hospitality and entertainment was singularly facilitated.

The nature of this change lay in the sudden development of the tavern and the consequent withdrawal of the cookshop. The worshipful company of pastels, as the cooks were called, ceased to enjoy the monopoly of providing hot meals.—Edmund Gosse in Harper's Magazine.

SALTING BABIES.

An Old World Practice That Goes Back to Bible Times.

"Salting" newly born infants, a practice that dates far back to Biblical times, still obtains in many parts of the old world. The Armenians in the Russian government of Erivan cover the whole surface of the babe's body with fine salt, especial care being taken with the interstices between the fingers and all depressions, such as the armpit and the bend of the knee, so that no point shall remain unsalted.

The unhappy infant is left in the salt for three hours or longer and is then bathed in warm water.

The Armenians of some districts, having abandoned the practice, are called "unsalted" and are despised by the others.

The modern Greeks also sprinkle their babes with salt. If an enlightened mother protests the midwife is ready with the objection: "But if it isn't salted it will be puny and will never amount to anything."

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Compare a Hawe's hat, either stiff or soft with a hat of any other make, the superior quality is apparent.

Note the snappy lines of the soft hat here illustrated. It is a style becoming to almost every man and is but one of the many styles. Try one on.



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We are Delighted With Charleoi's reception of our New Cash Meat Market. It has been such a winner that we want to thank our hundreds of new and satisfied customers for their liberal patronage

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The finest quality of Meats at the lowest cash prices.
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All Week Prices	For Instance	All Week Prices
Fine Quality Round Steak		Only 15c per pound
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Strictly fresh Country Eggs		26c per dozen
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The Rivers and Harbors Bill.

Advices from the National Capital are to the effect that the Rivers and Harbors bill which passed the House a month ago, will soon be reported to the Senate from the Commerce Committee of that body. As usual with all supply bills, the Senate adds some over the House measure and the Rivers and Harbors bill, which came to the Senate with appropriations for rivers and harbors approximating \$41,000,000 will likely be "boosted" by the upper branch at least \$5,000,000, so that the bill will carry in the neighborhood of fifty millions for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1911.

For years it has been a rallying cry of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress that there should be a yearly river and harbor bill and it should carry at least fifty millions. The committees of the two Houses of Congress dealing with waterways and their improvements have already one on record for a yearly river and harbor bill which is achievement number one for the National Rivers and Harbors Congress and with the supply bill to be reported early next week appropriating nearly fifty millions, it will come very near the mark set by this great waterways organization, whose persistent work is now beginning to bear fruit.

Much that the bill will provide for has already been discounted in the daily press but there will be enough of new matter in the river and harbor budget to permit of extended writing on the needs of improving the magnificent system of National highways which a beneficent Providence has given to us for our use to the end that rail rates may be cheapened and additional avenues be opened for the movement of the bulkier freight. "A consummation devoutly to be wished for."

That River Road.

Unannounced and unheralded a movement for an improved State highway along the river front has been launched. Beginning at Finleyville, where connections are made with Allegheny county's magnificent system of improved roads, it is desired to extend this proposed boulevard to Monongahela, and thence to Charleroi and on up the river, ultimately reaching the Greene county line, and even farther, if possible. Such a boulevard, in addition to affording a magnificent pleasure course for automobile tourists, would be of inestimable utility to the community in extending trade and commerce to outside points from the populous centers. From Charleroi to Finleyville, with an improved road, would open up a continuous thoroughfare to Pittsburg and to any of the other large industrial centers in Allegheny county, as well as to the interior of Westmoreland and Fayette counties by way of the Monessen bridge.

Those Charleroi citizens who went over to Washington this week to urge the construction of this road deserve the commendation and support of every enterprising citizen in Charleroi. Monongahela citizens are also interested in the project, can with a common interest both towns and work together in harmony. This is entirely within the range of possibility and "The River Boulevard" should be a slogan as well as a policy for Charleroi citizens to advance in the way of public improvements from this time hence.

Arbor Day.

Governor Stuart has issued a proclamation designating April 8 and April 22 as Arbor Days in Pennsylvania. On these dates people are exhorted to plant trees about their premises and public places, in order to beautify their homes and towns and in other places in order to conserve the forest

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Standing of Contestants as Counted Yesterday.

DISTRICT NO. ONE.		
District number one includes all the borough of Charleroi lying South of Fifth street		
Name	Address	Votes
Miss Goldie Evans	McKean	84,752
Win Moss	424 Washington Ave.	1940
Hamilton Booth	320 Fallowfield	1566
Florence Conway	315	2354
Agnes Rosbottom	208 Crest	5040
Miss Carrie Carver	219 Fallowfield Ave	1747
Ubas Schmeler	333	3042
		1600

DISTRICT NO. TWO.		
District number two includes all the borough of Charleroi lying between Fifth and Eighth St.		
Name	Address	Votes
Harry E. Vetter	716 Washington	500,001
Capt. Dale Jolliffe	608 Fallowfield	487,813
C. J. Matthews	600	1000
Miss Elizabeth Pardini	604	2856
Miss Margaret Brightwell		1020
Miss Anna Rice	725 Washington	4590

DISTRICT NO. THREE.		
District number three includes all the Borough of Charleroi lying between Eighth St. and the borough line		
Name	Address	Votes
Elise Fiedler	833 Crest Ave	5691
Miss Alma Snyder	218 Ninth St	3693
Albert Brown, Jr.	934	1165

DISTRICT NO. FOUR		
District number four includes North Charleroi, Monessen and Belle Vernon.		
Name	Address	Votes
Pearl Speers	Monessen	1672
Miss Mercedes McGinnis	Monessen	1115
Ruth Markel		1210
Grace Reeder		1010
Mary Jackson	North Charleroi	1155
Mrs. Meiser	Monessen	1190
Alfred Higginbotham	North Charleroi	1243
Robert McGowan		1000
John Metz		1000
R. G. Staley		1090
John Stober		1030
E. A. Jordan	Belle Vernon	1345

DISTRICT NO. FIVE.		
District number five includes Speers, Dunlevy, Vesta, Allenport, Fayette City, Roscoe, Elko Coal Center and California		
Name	Address	Votes
George Collins	Elk	161,078
James Hall	Dunlevy	114,589
Elise Pyle	Coal Center	51,510
Lutie Richards		1083
J. Klein	Roscoe	1340
Charles Fox	P. D. 4, Coal Center	1075
Ray Williams	Coal Center	1000
Dr. Franz		1210
Miss Clara Snead	Speers	1000
Pearl Smith		1000
Leola Frye	R. F. D. 1 Speers	1000
V. Hughes		1000
William E. Hart	California	1220
Ben Ueber	Fayette City	1000
Ray Hetherington		1000
McKee Middleton		1000
Miss Jennie Hike		1135
M. McClary	Allenport	1000
Laura Christ		1140
Annie Miller		1000
Hattie Long		1000
N. Doyle	Dunlevy	1460
C. K. Chatham	Speers	1200
William Kuhn		1140
Boyd Montgomery		1170
Miss Easter	California	1640

DISTRICT NO. SIX.		
Includes Donora, Monongahela and Bentleyville		
Name	Address	Votes
Agnes Klonan	Monongahela	1974
Miss Emma Volker	Monongahela	1125
Maud Statham		1105
Bessie Webb		1195
Ella Baker	Bentleyville	1246

and woodland reserves of the State. Governor Stuart says:

"The conservation of our natural resources has become a question of National importance. The destruction of our forests has intensified the floods and freshets which rob the soil of its fertility, clog the streams with silt and sand and fill up navigable rivers and harbors.

"On the other hand, he who plants a tree or protects it from fire and other enemies, helps to make his State a better dwelling place and makes a substantial gift to further generations.

"Wise legislative enactment has made it the duty of the Commonwealth's chief executive to name in each year one or more days for the planting of trees and the dissemination of useful information in regard to their growth and economic value."

School children and civic bodies are specially urged to take advantage of and observe Arbor Days. In many school districts trees are planted on the school grounds and the pupils given lessons in nurturing and caring for the trees. Many of the towns now have tree committees as a part of local civic work and the movement for tree planting inaugurated by Arbor Day in the State is rapidly gaining ground. Monessen is in the tree committee class, but Charleroi has not yet joined the procession in this most progressive movement.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Now that the milkmen have got about everything their own way except a part of the milk ordinance, may we please request, if it is not out of order, that we may be able to

get good milk to use for dinner, without so much talk.

Charleroi men as well as Washington men can occasionally scrape up a rich relative to leave them part of their estate.

Brownsville will need a free bridge by the time the Government gets through with the situation there.

Even the age of Brownsville, and the remarkable history it possesses as the birthplace of great men, will not prevent the Supreme Court from deciding against its interests occasionally.

The Standard Oil Trust has been referred to as a National Scandal. Where is Ida Tarbell, so that she can second the motion?

King Edward is seriously ill. Get the bulletin service into operation.

Apparently agitation against high prices has resulted in one thing—sending them higher.

When frozen rotten eggs are sold from cold storage plants to bakers to manufacture the cake you eat, and you get the stomachache, is it any wonder the doctor is getting rich?

It is only the privileged that attain that summit were the newspaper correspondent announces that they have gone into conference.

Some fellows think that all you have to do to get your names in the paper is to act queer and do queer things. That may be true, but it is an indication of mental unbalance.

Post Card Social.

The Luther League will hold a post card social in their Sunday School rooms of the Lutheran church tonight. All are invited. Admission 10 cents. 179tl

Easter Clothes

FOR THE MAN WHO CARES

YOU'VE got a treat in store for you, and this is the store it's in. We're going to show you some of the liveliest clothes you ever saw, special snappy models made for us by

Hart, Schaffner & Marx
Michael Stern & Co.
Fashion Clothes Makers

It seems as though the wags have made a special point in getting beauty, in designs this spring. The new models also are particularly good, there's no doubt about it. The clothes we show have style about them which you don't find in any other clothes.

Men's and Young Men's Suits
\$10, \$12, \$15,
\$20 to \$25

Boys' Suits
\$1.98, \$3, to \$5

GREENBERG'S

Fifth and McKean,

Charleroi, Pa.



REMOVAL SPECIALS

The following are cuts of only
Corn Fed Beef:

Fine Pot Roast	12 1-2c lb.	Hamburg Steak	12 1-2c
Best Round Steak	15c	12 1-2c Oleo Butter	12 1-2c
Select Cut Sirloin	18c	Ohio Creamery	27c
Rib Roast	15c	Satisfaction Coffee	2 lbs. for 25c
Liver Sausage	10c	Cream Cheese	22c
Ring Bologna	10c	Smere Case	12c

After April 1st we will occupy 5 and 10c Building, 209 Fifth Street.

McDERMOTT'S 426 Fallowfield Avenue

LOCAL MENTION

Interesting News Items Condensed for Busy Readers.

Mrs. Earl Piper went to Pittsburg and Duquesne this morning where she will visit friends.

If you are looking for a Stienbloce suit call on M. Meyers and Son, Doner avenue, Monessen. 1,000 to select from \$18.00 to \$30.00. 179tl

The supper given by the ladies of the Methodist Episcopal church last night was largely attended, and the affair was a huge success.

Mrs. T. D. Casselman, of New Waterford, Ohio, is a guest of Mrs. Emma Dawson of Washington avenue. 179tl

Miss Llene Steinberg of Huntingdon is spending a few days in Charleroi, the guest of Misses Clara and Susie Beigel.

Get your Easter Suit at Meyers' Store, Monessen, and look a little different than the ordinary dresser of Charleroi. See our swell line of young men's Easter Suits, \$12.00, \$15.00 and \$18.00. 179tl

Mrs. Della P. Halstead left yesterday for Tarentum where she will attend the funeral of her father-in-law, John Halstead, who died Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Greene of the northern part of the State, after a visit of some weeks in Charleroi with friends and relatives left this morning for their home.

William H. Atkins of J. W. Berry-

man and Son's store went to Pittsburg this morning on business.

John Gougge is a Pittsburg business visitor today.

W. C. Clark of the Economic Store is transacting business in Pittsburg.

Congressman John K. Tener left last night for Washington, D. C., being called back there on his Congressional duties.

Mrs. Clara J. Lowstutter has sold to Charles Tritt of Monessen a lot in North Charleroi on Highland avenue. The consideration was \$175.

Read the Mail

SALE OF SHOES OF THE STAR SHOE CORNER

STILL GOING ON
at Adolph's, 502 Fallowfield Avenue.

\$15,000 worth of men's, women's, misses' and children's shoes must be sold for cost here on Saturday. This Sale only lasts Three Days Longer.

The most famous shoes now being sold in America, such as Regal, Emerson, Queen Quality, Dorothy Dodd, Radcliffe, Red Cross, Packard, go Saturday at cost of manufacturing. Nothing reserved. Every pair of shoes in this enormous stock must be sold regardless of loss. When, where and how will such an opportunity arrive again to the wage earners of Charleroi? Never! And as the time is limited to dispose of this enormous stock you had better take advantage of it at once—don't wait until tomorrow—act quickly for such bargains won't last long. Every pair of shoes advertised in this Star Shoe Corner Sale is yours at cost, no matter what style or kind; they happen to be, I mean what I say—Shoes at Cost. Now come and reap a harvest in great bargains.

Women's \$3.00 to \$3.50 shoes\$1.95
Women's 2.00 to 2.50 shoes 1.00
Men's 3.00 to 3.50 shoes 1.95
Men's 2.00 to 2.50 shoes 1.00

600 pairs Baby Shoes, per pr.

1c

Only 1 pair to a customer

Every pair strictly fine dress shoes, and I want the most particular people of Charleroi to come to this sale. You who are the hardest to please, you who have been wearing one particular brand, you will appreciate the almost phenomenal values in this

\$1.95 Offer

Just 963 pairs in this lot and various styles, leathers and qualities to please every woman and man.

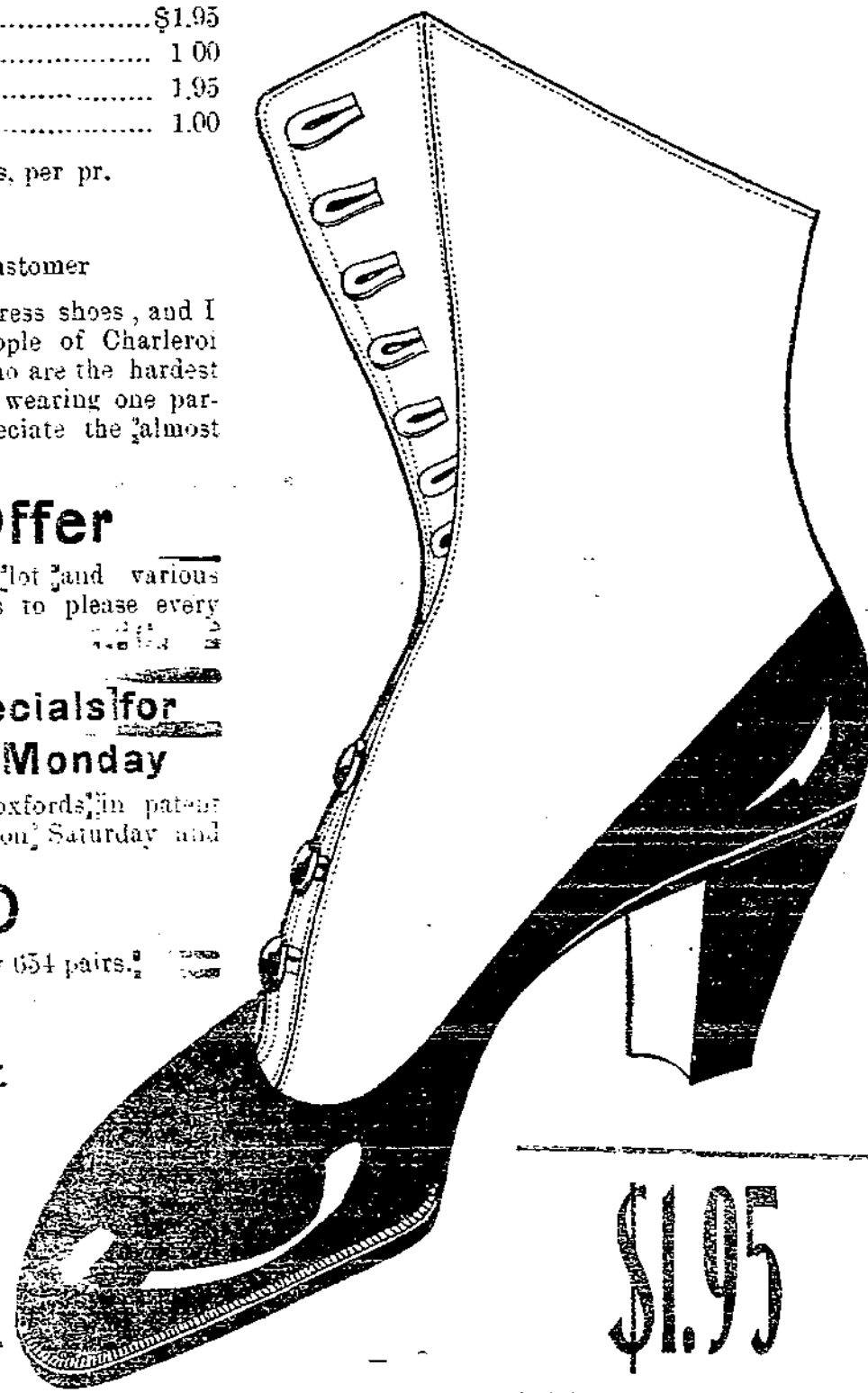
Read these specials for
Saturday and Monday

654 pairs of ladies' fine oxfords, in patent kid, tan or dull. I will sell on Saturday and Monday only at

\$1.00

Remember there are only 654 pairs.

\$1.95



\$1.95

Stop and see "Adolph, of Course" about his other specials on Saturday, for boys, misses and children. Pick them out of his big case.

IT'S ADOLPH, OF COURSE

Stores: Charleroi, Monessen, Braddock

502 Fallowfield Avenue

Charleroi, Pa.

Moved!

Our Office Is Now Located At
511 FALLOWFIELD AVENUE.

NEW GOODS AT THE OLD
"NECESSITY SALE" PRICES.

Pfleghardt's

MILLIONS OF LIVES LOST

An Awful Toll Collected by Consumption. Many Unnecessary Deaths Caused by this Disease.

If people could only understand that systemic catarrh is an internal disease that external applications cannot cure, they would not need to be warned so often about this malady, which, when neglected, paves the way oftentimes for consumption, at the loss of millions of lives every year. Yet catarrh may be cured, if the right treatment is employed.

Catarrh is caused by a general diseased state of the system which leads so commonly to annoying and perhaps serious local conditions, which may prove a fertile breeding ground for germs of consumption. External remedies give but temporary ease.

The only way to successfully treat catarrh is by employing a medicine which is absorbed and carried by the blood to all parts of the system, so that the mucous membrane or internal lining of the body is toned up and made capable of resisting the infection of consumption and other diseases.

We have a remedy prepared from the prescription of a physician who for thirty years studied and made catarrh a specialty and whose record was a patient restored to health in every case where his treatment was followed as prescribed. That remedy is Rexall Muc-Tone. We are so positive that it will completely overcome catarrh in all its various forms, whether acute or chronic, that we promise to return every penny paid us for the medicine in every case where it fails or for any reason does not satisfy the user.

We want you to try Rexall Muc-Tone on our recommendation and guarantee. We are right here where you live, and you do not contract any obligation or risk when you try Rexall Muc-Tone on our guarantee. We have Rexall Muc-Tone in two sizes, 50 cents and \$1.00. Very often the taking of one 50-cent bottle is sufficient to make a marked impression upon the case. Of course in chronic cases a longer treatment is necessary. The average in such instances is three \$1.00 bottles. Remember you can obtain Rexall remedies in Charleroi only at our store—The Rexall Store. John W. Carroll.

DON'T BE OLD

You will Not be if You Follow the Simple Plan

The woman of forty-five should be just in full bloom, and her maturer beauty should resist the inroads of Time for many years thereafter. But this is possible only when the delicate skin of the face has been put in perfect condition. A pure healing and cleansing skin food of which Crown Cream is undoubtedly the best on the market, will work wonders, even with a neglected complexion, when used in connection with correct massage. And that is not only possible, but very easy for the woman who owns the remarkable massage appliance called the Harlan Beauty Cup. This is a most ingenious vacuum appliance made of pure Para rubber, and gives much better results than are possible with manipulation of the delicate skin texture by the fingers.

While every user of Crown Cream knows that it alone will work wonders, driving away wrinkles, restoring complexions to their youthful beauty and improving the health of the skin in every way, yet by the use of the Beauty Cup these desirable results are hastened and made permanent. Not only is massage made easy, but there is no danger of injury to a delicate skin from unskillful fingers. The Harlan Beauty Cups are sold by all good dealers at the regular price of 50c. each and this is also the price of Crown Cream. If your dealer is not now supplied, they will be sent, prepaid upon order direct to the Harlan Mfg. Co., Toledo. Enclose the exact price and give your dealer's name also. Hennings' Drug Store, Fifth Street and McKean Avenue.

\$600 AN ACRE PAID FOR FALLOWFIELD COAL

Six hundred dollars an acre was the price paid for a 90 acre tract of coal in Fallowfield township this week by the Pittsburgh and Westmoreland Coal company. This is the highest figure yet paid for the black diamonds in Fallowfield township. The farm purchased is that of the Daniel Campbell heirs.

Will Appear at Monongahela.

The W. and J. College Glee Club which appears at School Hall next Tuesday night for the benefit of the Boys' Brigade, will appear at Monongahela Monday night.

Better Than Ever

and more complete—our line of Spring Suits and Furnishings for Men and Boys is one you will enjoy looking through.

Your Easter Suit

is just waiting for you to call and see it.

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Special Line of Peg Top

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Glassified Ads MORE

FOR RENT—Sale or exchange for good town property, a farm of 102 acres more or less. Eight roomed brick houses, barn, stable and other out-buildings. Vineyard and orchard, one and one-half miles from street car line. Inquire of S. T. Chester or L. P. Flickinger, McKean Avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 17566

FOR RENT—House, 2 rooms, call 424 Lincoln Avenue. 17569

FOR RENT—All the latest and new books at the rate of 3 cents a day. Might's Library, 509 McKean. 17568

FOR RENT—3 1-2 acres of ground, 5 room house, stable. Above reservoir in Charleroi. Inquire of M. J. Tyllavsky, Charleroi, Pa. 17583p

FOR SALE—Grocery and meat market at Lock No. 4, nice clean stock, new fixtures, no old stock. This store is doing \$1,000 per month without taking orders. Can be doubled. Cheap rent. Will be sold at invoice. Reason for selling, sickness. D. W. Roup, Lock No. 4, Pa. 17563

An Expert's Opinion of Skin Diseases.

A prominent, national expert on skin diseases whose name you are familiar with says that in all his scientific experience he has never found so hard a disease to conquer as Eczema. Yet he does not hesitate to recommend Zemo as a most successful remedy for the treatment of Eczema, itching skin diseases, dandruff, pimples, blackheads and all other diseases of the skin and scalp. He says that not only do its curative qualities make it popular but also the fact that it is a clean, liquid remedy for external use. A great improvement over the old style greasy salves and lotions which are not only unpleasant to use but do not destroy the germ life that causes the disease. Zemo draws the germs to the surface and destroys them, leaving the skin clear and healthy. Can be used freely on infants. Piper Bros. will gladly supply those who call with a free sample bottle of Zemo and a booklet which explains in simple language all about skin diseases and how to cure yourself at home with Zemo.

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PINKHAM CURES

Added to the Long List due to This Famous Remedy.

Oronogo, Mo.—"I was simply a nervous wreck. I could not walk across the floor without my heart fluttering and I could not even receive a letter. Every month I had such a bearing down sensation, as if the lower parts would fall out. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done my nerves a great deal of good and has also relieved the bearing down. I recommended it to some friends and two of them have been greatly benefited by it."—Mrs. MAE McKNIGHT, Oronogo, Mo.

Another Grateful Woman. St. Louis, Mo.—"I was bothered terribly with a female weakness and backache, bearing down pains and rashes in lower parts. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound regularly and used the Sanative Wash and now I have no more troubles that way."—Mrs. AL. HERZOG, 3722 Prescott Ave., St. Louis, Mo. Because your case is a difficult one, doctors having done you no good, do not continue to suffer without giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. It surely has cured many cases of female ills, such as inflammation, ulceration, discharges, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, indigestion, dizziness and nervous prostration. It costs but a trifle to try it, and the result is worth millions to many suffering women.

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Model A67
is a new one.

READ THE MAIL

Force of Habit.

Kilky—I did a very absentminded thing this morning. Street—What was it? Kilky—Offered a tip to the man who shaved my nose.—Boston Transcript

When a true genius appears in the world you may know him by this sign, that the dunces are all in confederacy against him.—Swift

Lemon Juice Whitens Rice.

It is said that a dash of lemon juice added to the rice while boiling will not only whiten the kernels, but will add just a suggestion of the lemon flavor. This will be found to be a pleasant change.

Caught.

She—Did you hear they were going to tax bachelors? He—Yes, but they'll never get it out of me. She—It is nice of you to put it that way, but I must speak to mother first.—Illustrated Bits.

What is not necessary is dear at a penny.—Lato.

The Announcement Followed.

She—They say there are germs in kisses. Now, what do you suppose a girl could catch that way? He—A husband.—Ladies' Home Journal.

A pound of care will not pay a ounce of debt.—Dutch Proverb.

A Safety Holder.

The person who delights in a fountain pen, but is always in fear of the ink spilling out, now finds comfort in a safety holder. This is in nickel and in wood and costs very little.

It can be attached to any fountain pen and keeps it from spilling a drop of ink.

Our Neighbors.

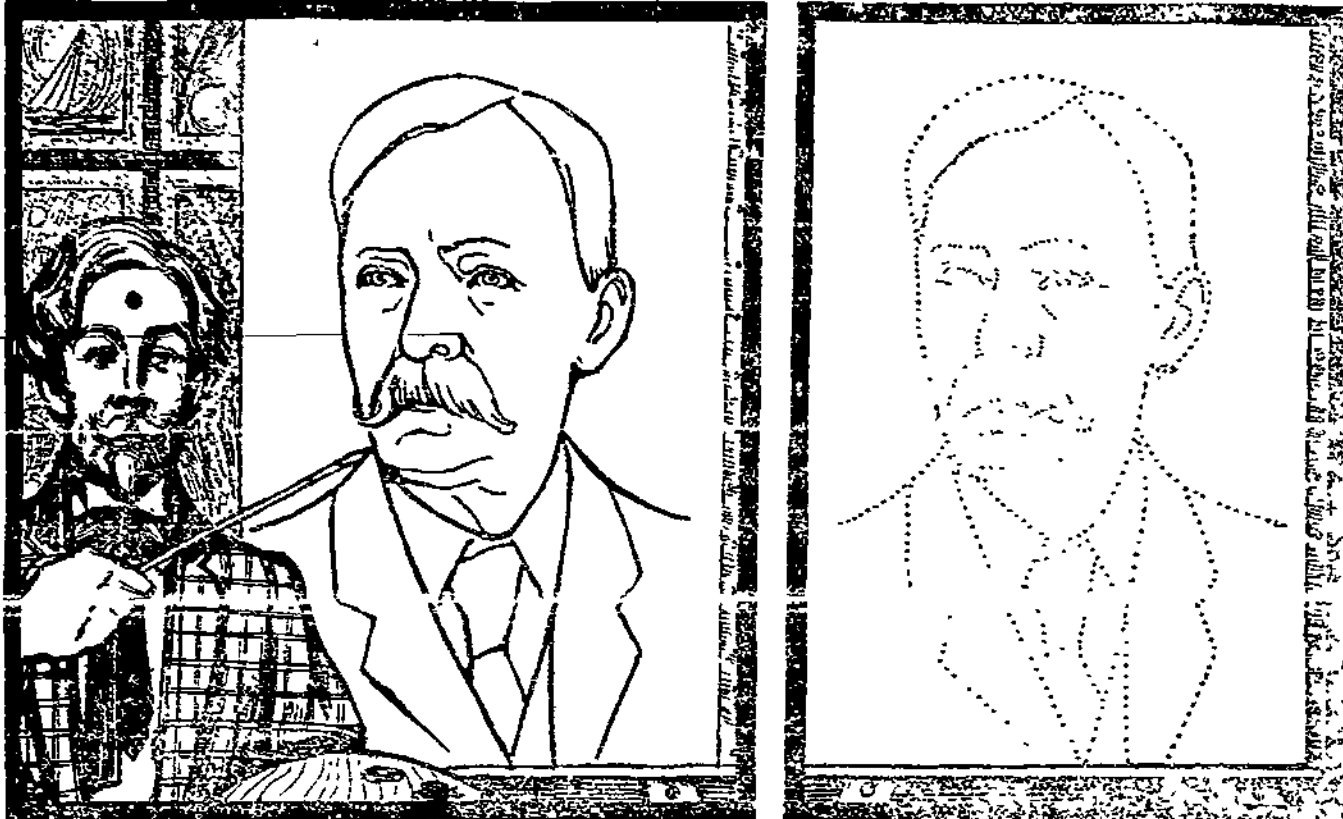
"We simply must move," said his wife positively. "I can't stand this place any longer."

"All right," replied her husband. "I know a flat we can get that is \$5 cheaper than this one."

"Well, I should say not. If we move into that the neighbors would think we couldn't afford to stay where we are."—Detroit Free Press.

COPY THIS PICTURE

Everybody Wins a Prize



Henry Lindeman, Greatest Living Pianomaker

A Life Size Photograph of Mr. Henry Lindeman is displayed in the window of C. C. Mellor Co.

By Copying this Picture You May Win a

\$400 HENRY & S. G. LINDEMAN PIANO

\$21,300 IN OTHER VALUABLE AWARDS

1 \$400 H. & S. G. Lindeman Piano	FREE	50 Checks, each valued at \$ 65
5 Checks, each valued at \$100		75 Checks, each valued at \$ 50
10 Checks, each valued at \$ 80		100 Checks, each valued at \$ 45
20 Checks, each valued at \$ 75		200 Checks, each valued at \$ 35

See how accurately, neatly and artistically you can draw the above picture of Henry Lindeman. To afford everybody who enters the contest a fair chance, we have placed a dotted outline of Mr. Henry Lindeman's features in the right hand panel. You can trace your sketch over this dotted outline, with such additions or omissions as you believe will improve the picture—or you can send in a free hand drawing—either pen or pencil may be used. To the person submitting the best sketch—neatest and most artistic—we will award and deliver **FREE** a

\$400 HENRY & S. G. LINDEMAN PIANO

This offer is made and the gifts will be awarded by Henry & S. G. Lindeman for the purpose of advertising their celebrated Pianos in this section. All answers must be made to C. C. Mellor Co., Pittsburgh, who have agreed to act for Henry & S. G. Lindeman.

Each Contestant who Fails to Win one of the Principal Prizes
Will be Awarded a

Guaranteed 14-Karat Gold Point Fountain Pen

They are fully warranted, exactly as if they were sold for \$2.50 instead of being given away. Write easily, smoothly. Will give great and lasting satisfaction. One of the excellent Fountain Pens will be awarded to each contestant who fails to win any of the principal prizes

These simple rules govern the contest:

1. The competition will close at noon, Friday, April 1st.
2. No contribution from a professional artist will be considered.
3. The decision of the judges must be accepted as final.
4. The sketch submitted may be traced over the dotted outline in right hand panel, with additions or omissions—or it may be a free hand drawing
5. The \$400 Henry & S. G. Lindeman Piano will be delivered to the successful contestant on or before Wednesday, April 6—absolutely free of any charge.
6. All answers **MUST** be mailed to ART DEPARTMENT, C. C. Mellor Co., 319-321 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.
7. Every contestant is to correctly answer the following questions on this Coupon:

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Work done neatly, promptly, reasonably

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THE WITCHES' TREE.

Superstitions Regarding the Influence
of the Elder.

Country people speak of the elder tree as "the witches' tree" and planted it near farm buildings and dairies to keep off witches. They also say that the roots should never come near a well, still less grow into it, or the water will be spoiled. Evelyn's opinion was also unfavorable. The diarist says "I do by no means commend the scent of it, which is very noxious to the air."

We learn from Blesius that a certain house in Spain, seated among many elder trees, diseased and killed nearly all its inhabitants, which, when at last they were grubbed up, became a very healthy and wholesome place. Cattle scarcely touch the elder and the mole is driven away by the scent. Carters often placed branches on their horses' heads to keep off flies. Nothing will grow well in the company of the elder, and when it has been removed and all its roots carefully grubbed up it is some few years before the ground becomes perfectly sweet and good for anything.

The berries, besides feeding the birds, make excellent country wine, delicious with soda water in summer or taken hot in winter. The wood is valuable for fire-wood, and a curious red fungus grows on elder stumps. A species of elder in the Trool is covered with beautiful scarlet berries.—Selborne's Magazine.

Smart Electors.

At an open air political meeting in the north of England a man cried, "Hurrah for Jackson!" to which a bystander replied sarcastically, "Hurrah for a jackass!" "All right, my friend," exclaimed the first speaker. "You can hurrah for your candidate, and I'll do the same for mine."

All electors are not so gifted, as the following experience of a canvasser in Devonshire clearly indicates:

"Whom are you voting for, my good fellow?" he asked.

"I votes for the lady."

"But there is no lady candidate standing."

"Well," replied Hodge, "Poll Early comes on my voting paper before the names of the two men, and I thought I'd vote for her. See!"—Chambers' Journal.

ANCIENT DOCTORS.

Some of the Things They Knew Twelve
Hundred Years Ago.

The Russian Academy of Medicine after examining a Tibetan "Hand-book of Medicine," first published 1200 years ago, acknowledges that it contains many truths discovered or rediscovered by modern physicians. Here are some extracts from the ancient volume:

"Number of bones in the human body, 300; number of nerves, 99; number of pores, 11,000,000."

"The heart is the king of the organs and the staff of life. The lungs embrace it as a mother does her child. Sicknesses are due to man's malice, ignorance and inability to curb the passions, for these things interfere with the proper nourishment of the human organs. All unkind thoughts react upon the heart and liver."

The methods for ascertaining the state of a person's health were very similar to those methods employed today—looking at the tongue, feeling the pulse etc. Vegetable medicines are advocated; also baths, compresses, massage, bloodletting etc. Fines were imposed upon physicians who did not keep their instruments clean.

A traveler stopped at a hotel in Greenland, where the nights are six months long, and as he registered asked a question of the clerk.

"What time do you have breakfast?"

"From half past March to a quarter to May."—Harper's Weekly.

Boring the Bore.

"What do you do to get rid of bores?"

"Just as soon as they come into my office I start in telling them of the latest cure thing my baby said."—Detroit Free Press.

But He Did.

Her Mother—I saw him kiss you! I am terribly shocked. I did not for a moment imagine he would dare take such a liberty. Himself—Nor did I, ma. In fact, I bet him a pair of gloves he daren't!

Odd Death Certificates.

Certificates of death are not documents where one usually seeks for humor, but there is frequently to be found in them much of the unconscious variety. Here, for instance, is how the cause of death is stated in the case of a laborer.

"Died from injuries received through a bull accidentally kneeling on his chest."

The consideration shown for the feelings of the bull is a fine touch and suggests grave questions on the moral responsibility of the lower animals.

Again, a man is stated to have "died from the effects of injuries received after being run over by a railway train in motion owing to a misunderstanding between deceased and an engine driver." This description of a rather ordinary railway casualty is excellent.—London Express.

A Convenient Disinfectant.

A handy disinfectant for household use is made of chlorate of lime moistened with vinegar and water in equal parts. It may be kept in the cellar all the time, and in case of sickness a few drops scattered about will purify the air in the room.

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Plain prices that tell the reason for big business, and our stock is fresh, new and at once stylish

Grey, blue or olive green, in a variety of the best makes, tailors who are at the head of the business. These same suits sold at \$18 to \$25 elsewhere, our price **\$15.00**

Young men, we have your next suit in a bunch of styles and colors, all kinds of fabrics, they are good to look at, \$5 to **\$13.50**

Men's Pants.

Stripes in grey, green and blue, plain black, all styles, full peg, medium or modern cuffed, belt straps, from 98c to **\$4.00**

Boys' Knee Pants, the Hasting brand over twenty-five styles to select from at 98c to **\$3.50**

Boys' Knee Pants in bloomer style, blue serge, all sizes at 74c. Some at 48c and **19c**

Our Furnishings for men and boys are replete with style and class and low prices prevail.

Dress shirts in pleated bosoms, fancy or plain white, others ask 1.50 for the same shirt, our price **89c**

Our men's dress shirts at 45c are sold the world over at 75c, men's full sizes.

Men's Hats in all the shades that are worn now, all styles and makes 98c to **\$2.79**

Men's Hose, the kind you wear on Sunday, at 7c, 9c, 11c and 19c, all worth double.

Black work shirts and overalls **39c**

Other work shirts **35c**

Men's work shoes **98c**

Men's work shoes **\$1.39**

Shoes for the family at low prices.



The Old Story

Long time ago, when the animals were getting their freedom suits news was sent around that every one was to come to the great man's castle to be fitted out. The squirrel invited the rabbit to go for a set of teeth, but he said wait. The cat asked him to go for claws, but the rabbit said there is plenty of time. But when the other animals came back with claws and teeth he came to his senses, and made a run for the castle, only to find there was nothing to fit him. Like some people of today who put off having their eyes properly fitted with glasses when it costs them nothing to have them examined at

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Just Received for Spring

The latest novelty in Ladies' and Misses' Linen and Cloth Dresses. Also Ladies' and Misses' Suits, tailor made. The materials and designs are strictly the latest from New York. The prices are very reasonable. Where you always get the best.

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That is why, beginning with Saturday, March 19th, every purchase you make in this store will entitle you to "S & H" Green Trading Stamps.

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April 1, 1910

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20 "S & H" Green Stamps Free

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No matter how old and faded your hair looks, or how long you have been gray, it will work wonders for you, keep you looking young, promote a luxuriant growth of healthy hair, stop its falling out and positively Remove Dandruff. Will not soil skin or linen. Will not injure your hair. Is Not a Dye. REFUSE ALL SUBSTITUTES \$1.00 and 50c. Bottles, at Drugists Philo Hay Spec. Co., Newark, N.J., U.S.A.

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Opens the nasal passage—Relieves the throat—Clears the head—A healing and antiseptic remedy for quick and lasting relief.

At all drugists 25c.

His Worthless Son.

There lives an old negro truck farmer in Alabama who has frequent occasion to improve his children for their lack of industry.

"Yo' suttin' is a wuthless son," the old fellow declared one day to his oldest. "It's a doggoned good thing fo' yo' I ain't a rich nigger."

"What yo' talkin' 'bout, pap?" asked the son. "What yo' think yo' do den?" "I'd disliket yo'! Dat's what I do!" exclaimed the old man wrathfully. Lippincott's.

Sidestepped.

Father (at supper table)—Well, Johnny, how did you get along at school today? Johnny—Paper, my physiology books says conversation at meals should be of a pleasant character. Let's talk about something else.—Chicago News.

Musical Reception.

Brown—What did your wife say about your being so late home the other night?

Jones—Nothing at all. She just sat down at the piano and played "Tell Me the Old, Old Story."

Preaching and Practice.

Ted—I hear he's giving a lecture on "How to Live on 16 Cents a Day." Is he doing well with it? Ned—Fine. I met him in a restaurant after the lecture, and he was eating a two dollar dinner.—Puck.

Old fools are more foolish than young ones.—La Rochefoucauld.

The Coloring of the Clouds.

The gorgeous coloring of the clouds, especially those of sunset, is due to the circumstance that the yellow and red rays of light have a much greater penetrative momentum than the blue. They make their way through stretches of the atmosphere which entirely arrest and turn back the blue, and they do this the more markedly if the air is at the time laden with extraneous particles that augment the aerial opacity.—New York American.

A Hairbreadth Escape.

A certain comedian is bald except for a rim of hair a few inches above his collar line.

"I'm in an awful hurry," he said one day to the Lamb's club barber. "Can you cut my hair with my collar on?"

"Sure," replied the barber. "I can cut it with your hat on."—Success Magazine.

Poetic License.

Sporting Editor—Just what do you understand by the term "poetic license?" Literary Editor—Broadly speaking, it is that singular provision in the constitution of the universe under which poets are permitted to exist.—Chicago Tribune.

Proposals.

"Has he proposed yet?" "Not in so many words." "That's no answer. Proposals never do come in words. They consist of sighs, hems, haws and gurgles."—Cleveland Leader.

A Thirteenth Century Drink.

Thirteenth century tastes in food had few limitations. Besides the "fowl of Africa and the rare gadwit of Ionia" mentioned by Fitzstephen, gourmets in the time of King John used to regale themselves on herons, cranes, crows, storks, cormorants and bitterns. Some would wash their meals down with wine, but the majority drank mead or metheglin. Mead, according to Holinshed, was only the washing of the combs after the honey had been taken from them and so poor a beverage that it had to be spiced, peppered or made palatable with sweetbrier or thyme. But metheglin contained one hundredweight of honey to twenty-four gallons of water and must have been much more intoxicating than the strongest old ale of the present day.—London Chronicle.

Pioneer Days in Missouri.

In 1851 there was in Huntsville a man who pulled teeth for 25 cents and a photographer who made daguerrotypes at \$1.50 each. The first was called "doctor" and the second "professor." They lived in the highest circles, as being the representatives of the sciences and arts. With deer, birds and all manner of game in the woods and fine fish in the streams so cheap that the poorest larders were stocked with it, the grocers did a big business in mackerel, herring and sardines. The latter were real dainties, because the better food was so plentiful the pioneers got tired of it.—Macon Republican.

The Man and the Mummy.

"This," said the guide who was plotting a bunch of tourists through Egypt as he pointed to a mummy, "was a high priest, the wisest man of his day. He lived to a great age." "Was his last illness fatal?" queried the wag of the bunch. "Of course it was," answered the guide, with a look of pity at the other. "That's quiet," rejoined the waggy person. "His present appearance would seem to indicate that he was permanently cured."—Chicago News.

The Prayer He Didn't Make.

In a certain parish near Dumfries a newly made elder was summoned to the sickbed of a parishioner. Being naturally a bashful man, he was in great anxiety as to the "prayer he wad hae to pit up" and wished to avoid going altogether. At length he was persuaded by his wife and started on his errand. On his return his wife greeted him with the query: "And how did ye get on, William?" "Oh, grand! He was deid."—Dundee Advertiser.

Revenge.

"That organist Belle flitted for the aged millionaire played a spiteful trick at her wedding." "What did he do?" "Instead of playing them up the aisle with the wedding march, he struck up 'Old Hundred.'"—Boston Transcript.

A Bright Idea.

"Hogan's cow bruk into the straw-berry patch this mornin', sorr, an' it's birry damages we shuld git from him." "It's no use, Patrick. He'll be sure to swear it was somebody else's cow." "The devil a bit, sorr. He can't. Ol shud the baste in there fur evidence."—Judge.

Crushed.

Colonial Dame (impressively)—My ancestors came over in the Mayflower. Daughter of the Revolution—Humph! If my ancestors were immigrants I wouldn't brag of it.—Pathfinder.

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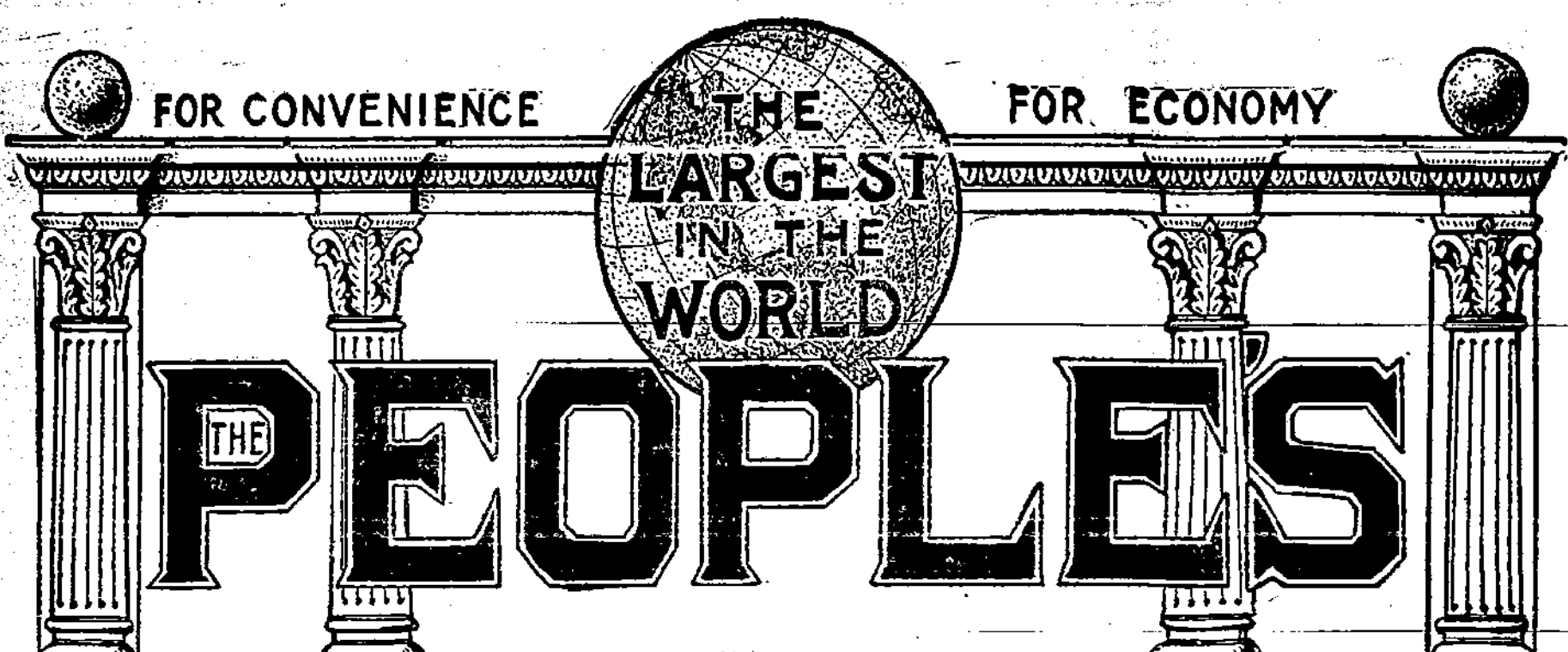


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Beallsville.

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Mrs. Fred Hipp and niece, Miss Geraldine Burd, of Clairton, are spending a few days at Beallsville, visiting Mrs. Hipp's sister, Mrs. Archie K. Wickerham.

Mrs. Raymond Sheffer of Westmoreland county is here, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Matthews.

Mrs. Stephen Ulery has returned from a visit to Pittsburg friends and relatives.

Mrs. Ira Reed was at Lone Pine, Pa., Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Evans.

William Marshall departed on Saturday for an extended western trip, which will take him to the Pacific coast, where he will spend a week. On his return trip he will visit Chicago, New Orleans, and other points. He will be absent about a month.

Miss Pearl Young is spending a week with Highland relatives.

Mrs. William Roger of Brownsville was visiting at the James Roger home Tuesday.

Mrs. Ara Crumrine is spending this week in Pittsburg, McKeesport and California.

Miss Rena Beall has returned to her home at Garwood after a visit with her aunt, Miss Clara Mitchell.

Miss Clara Beck of Braddock and Mrs. Harry Hornbake of Charleroi are guests of Mrs. W. L. Guiser.

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